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TEXAS DEMO CHAIRMAN BREAKS WITH GOV. NEFF

Printers Approve Instructing Texas Demo Delegates

FRANK C. DAVIS
UPHOLDS M'ADOO

Executive Committee, Head
Attacks Governor

SAYS CHARGES UNJUST

Claims Reactionaries Back
Uninstructed Move

By United Press.
NACCO, Texas, April 19.—
Frank C. Davis, chairman of
the state democratic executive
committee today split with gov-
ernor Pat M. Neff in the con-
troversy raging among Texas
democratic leaders over the
state delegation to the New York
convention, in the following broad-
side:

"Since the governor first became a
candidate in 1920, I have ex-
pressed both pride and pleasure in fol-
lowing him implicitly through good
and evil, and it is with sincere
regret that I find myself unable to
follow him in his present campaign
to secure an uninstructed delegation
from Texas to the democratic na-
tional convention.

McAdoo Incapacitated
"I regard William Gibbs McAdoo,
whom I have known since 1912,
when I met him in the Baltimore
convention, as a great, constructive
democrat, whose absolute honesty and
incorruptibility have been conclusively
demonstrated by his incomparable
record as secretary of the treasury,
both in time of war and in time of
peace.

"No man in the time of history
ever handled so much money and no-
charge has ever been made affecting
the integrity of any one of his of-
ficial transactions.

Unwarranted
"Governor Neff, in his speeches has
made bitter charges against Mr. Mc-
Adoo, which I think are unjusti-
fiable, and as I believe unwarranted.
Coupled with these charges are
statements that are untrue, and which
I have always felt proud to be
the secretary of the national convention.
The governor's speeches have been
widely reported by the reactionary
press of the country, and broadcast-
ed to the world, and under the cir-
cumstances, I cannot but feel that
I am voting for an uninstructed dele-
gation is a vote for the election of
a man who has been charged with
being a traitor to the national con-
vention, and I would reply in the terms of
the proposition were reversed:

"This I am unwilling to do. Mc-
Adoo has done too much for Texas,
and for the nation and for progress-
ive democracy for anyone to be
aid of considering the election of him,
and I hope and believe that the pro-
gressive democracy of Texas will an-
swer these charges as the democrats
of Missouri and Georgia have an-
swered them. I favor a Texas dele-
gation instructed by the people with
out dictation from any source.

Reflection On Past Delegates
"It is insisted that the people
might as well send a parrot trained
to answer a call as to send an
instructed delegation. That involves
a reflection on every delegation that
has been sent from Texas to a na-
tional convention for forty or fifty
years for nearly all of them have
been instructed. I have had no in-
formation as to the character of them
but I have always felt proud to be
the instructed agent of the great
Texas democracy. When the Texas
delegation at Baltimore, for more
than forty ballots, through its great
chairman, one Johnson, spoke out in
clear tones, forty votes for Wood-
row Wilson, throughout the hour
and weary days and nights of that
struggle, it did not sound like the
prattle of a parrot, but it impressed
that great convention and the na-
tion that they were hearing not mer-
ely the voice of one man or of forty
men, but of millions of Texans who
had told the Texas delegation what
to say and how to say it, and the
voice of Texas prevailed and the
immortal services of Woodrow Wil-
son were given to mankind.

Wall Street Betting Odds
"I have noticed in a special dis-
patch from Washington printed in a
Texas daily of April 15, that the
brokers in Washington are offering
to wager odds that the Texas dele-
gation will be uninstructed. This is
most significant. These Washington
brokers are representatives of Wall
Street and they generally know what
they are doing. It will not be sur-
prising if all the forces for the re-
actionary democracy of Texas are
thrown behind the movement for an
uninstructed delegation, which they
ought to know is the best they can
possibly hope to get in Texas, and
the sending of an uninstructed dele-
gation would be heralded as a reac-
tionary victory throughout the coun-
try, as was the victory for an un-
instructed delegation recently won by
the Drennan machine in Illinois."

(Signed) F. C. Davis

NEFF SPEAKS TO BIG
CROWD AT TEMPLE

By United Press.
TEMPLE, Texas, April 19.—
Speaking to a house that filled every
available bit of space here tonight,
Governor Pat M. Neff renewed his
opposition to McAdoo and Underwood
as democratic presidential nominees,
with an insistent plea that the dele-
gation from Texas to the national
convention be sent uninstructed. W.
S. Rowland of Temple was master of
ceremonies and the governor was in-
troduced by District Judge L. H.
Jones of Dallas.

In Texas Murder Case



ABOVE—MOLLIE DUDLEY, LOWER LEFT—"BOB" ROBINSON.
LOWER RIGHT—BOBBY ROBINSON.

'Blood Atonement' Is Boy's Defense

HOUSTON, Texas, April 19.—
May a son make blood atonement for
his mother's sufferings?
A jury here will have to decide that
question at the trial of "Bob" Robin-
son, youthful slayer of Mollie Dud-
ley, for "The Unwritten Law by
Prosy" is his sole defense.

Bob insists that he shot and killed
the unfortunate divorcee because he
feared she had won his father's love
from his mother.

The friendship between his father,
Dr. C. H. Robinson, well-to-do physi-
cian, and Mollie began with the
divorcee's illness. The doctor restored
her to health.

Then he was injured in an acci-
dent, Mollie nursed him.

Mrs. Robinson soon began to hear
disconcerting stories. Her boy, Bob,
just 22, heard these, too. He thought
his father and Mollie would elope.

So he got a revolver, went to the
"other woman's" home and killed her,
officers allege.

And now Dr. Robinson's life se-
crets are about to be bared to save
his son from the electric chair.

Dr. Robinson already has broken out
between two prominent Texas fami-
lies. For the Robinsons are the Rob-
insons of Harris county, and Mollie
was one of the Rushes of Trinity
county. Each family blames the
other for the tragedy.

15 Ill From Eating Ground Glass in Food

CHICAGO, April 19.—Two per-
sons were seriously ill today and 15
others were under a physician's care
after eating ground glass secreted in
food served at a Passover feast in
the home of Dr. Val C. Freedman
last night.

The police are holding Ella Rod-
ich, discharged house girl of Dr.
Freedman, who prepared the food
just before she was released from
his employe.

Paderewski Bowed Down By Death of Pekinese

CHICAGO, April 19.—The soul of
Ping Lucy tonight is with his Pekin-
ese forefathers.

The pet of the Paderewskis died
today after a tenacious struggle for
life. Ignace Paderewski, famous pian-
ist, and Madame Paderewski are bowed
in sorrow.

For several days they had fought
for "Ping's" life, with all the medi-
cal science that money could buy,
gave Ping every attention but acute
indigestion, complicated by other
diseases and senile decay won out.

Ping's remains were cremated and
ashes were preserved and will be
taken to Switzerland next month to
be buried in Madame Paderewski's au-
tumnal cemetery.

ASK PENALTY ON CITY FUND

Petition Filed at Beaumont
Asks for Fines

HOLD TRANSFER ILLEGAL

Emergency Fund Declared
Wrongfully Used

Suit demanding the return
of the \$10,107.05 contingent
fund, transferred by the city
commission to the general fund
when that fund was exhausted on
a resolution declaring rain-
fall for the year 1923 to have
been abnormal and thus an
emergency was created was filed late
Saturday in 58th district court at
Beaumont.

The petition declares the transfer
to have been illegal under provisions
of the city charter and demands that
Mayor J. P. Logan and Commis-
sioners B. H. Wade and B. H. Wiley,
defendants as city officials, recover
the amount to the city "in addition
to any fine or other penalty provided
by law therefor."

Principals Named
The petition names N. M. Sands,
544 17th street, and B. B. Barri-
caux, 1401 Ninth street as principals
in the suit to recover. The suit was
filed by Attorney Frank Vaughn
and H. B. Tucker. No date had been
set for hearing Saturday night.

In part, the petition sets forth:
"Plaintiffs further represent unto
the court that by the provisions of
the city charter of the city of Port
Arthur which is substantially as fol-
lows: No warrant shall be drawn
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C-C. TO HEAR JITNEY REPORT

Mayor's Offer of Delay To
Be Discussed

Preliminary steps looking to a
solution of the street car line ex-
tension problem will be taken by the
board of directors of the Chamber
of Commerce and Shipping at 7:30
o'clock Monday night. It was an-
nounced by Vice President Henry
Lohman, Saturday night.

Thursday the city commission
granted a committee of the Chamber
of Commerce 30 days before the pro-
posed jitney ordinance, then at its
second reading, would be passed, the
committee declaring that it wanted
the extension of time to endeavor to
bring about a settlement of the con-
troversy.

The committee at that time de-
clared that it would undertake to ex-
ert its office toward securing extensions
of the trolley line, Mayor Logan re-
plying that he would grant 30 days
additional time to the Chamber of
Commerce but not to the traction
company.

MAN INJURED BY INTERURBAN

Was Lying Near Tracks On
Procter Street

Found in the street car parkway in
the 1200 block on Procter street Sat-
urday night about 11 o'clock, uncon-
scious and bleeding profusely from
deep gashes in the face, a middle-aged
man said to be a sailor named Peter-
son off one of the hydrographer boats,
was rushed to Mary Gates hospital in
an ambulance summoned from the
Grammian establishment.

Reports made to police headquar-
ters said the man was lying in the
parkway and was hit by the 11
o'clock interurban. At a late hour
Saturday night he was unconscious,
and had not been able to give any
coherent details of how he was in-
jured. Light or ten stitches were
taken in the gashes over both of his
eyes, and upper lip, hospital authori-
ties said.

Examination made by attending
physician at the hospital showed the
sailor suffered no broken bones, and
while he is severely and painfully in-
jured, it is not believed his condition
is serious, physicians said.

TEXAS WILL NOT SEND DELEGATE TO HEARING

By United Press.
AUSTIN, April 19.—Attorney Gen-
eral Keeling said his department
would not have a representative pre-
sent when the Gulf Coast Inter-
national Great Northern merger is
argued before the Interstate Com-
merce Commission at Washington
April 24.

A brief setting forth the attorney
general's department's position will be
filed with the commission. Con-
tention will be made that the proposed
merger is unconstitutional because it
permits an outside corporation to ac-
quire a Texas company and also be-
cause the consolidation of parallel and
competing lines.

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eyes, and upper lip, hospital authori-
ties said.

WHEELER PUTS UP OWN BOND

Will Appear May 5 To
Answer Charges

By United Press.
ST. HELENS, April 19.—United
States Senator Burton K. Wheeler of
Montana, chief prosecutor of the
Daugherty investigation committee,
appeared before the federal commis-
sioners here today and gave his per-
sonal bond of \$10,000 to appear for
trial at Great Falls, Montana, on
May 5 on his indictment for alleged
illegal receipt of retaining fees as a
senator.

British Arrive In Village Ziza

By United Press.
LONDON, April 19.—The British
round-the-world fliers have arrived at
the village of Ziza, Egypt, according
to a news agency dispatch from
Cairo tonight.

The British Amphibian plane is on
its way to Bagdad, and if it has
arrived at Ziza, the cumulative mile-
age, it has covered is 2,005 miles.

State Federation Of Labor to Open Here Tomorrow

Hundreds of Delegates Expected to Attend
Session of Body During All This Week; Big
Question Due to Come Up For Discussion

Flashes of political coloring that promise to turn to steady
spot lights of interest in the Texas State Federation of Labor
deliberations opening in the First M. E. church, South, Mon-
day morning were playing over the officials and delegates
gathering in Port Arthur Saturday.

This is the word from veteran attendants at Texas State
Federation of Labor conventions as
the last minute preparations for get-
ting the 1924 session underway were
going forward.

Presidential year and the an-
nounced opposition of delegates to
the proposal that Texas send an
uninstructed delegation to the national
democratic convention in New York
City, will, it is predicted, draw the
attention of the federation.

Politicians Coming Here
General elections in Texas and a
number of announced gubernatorial
candidates sending in word they'll be
in Port Arthur to mix and mingle
with the federation delegates, and
possibly address the convention, also
indicate more political figures and
fireworks will be in the Port Arthur
convention than is usually the case,
delegates said.

An address before the federation
next week by W. W. Fitzwater, of
Houston, president of the Farm-Lab-
or Union, is on the state, and among
the candidates for governor, expected
are T. W. Davidson, endorsed by the
Farm-Labor Union; Felix D. Robin-
son, and V. A. Collins, both of Dal-
las. Collins formerly of Beaumont,
and representative of this district in
the Texas state senate.

Extend Discussions
Although, thus far, the topics defining
political situations involved at pos-
sibilities for the state federation ses-
sions are in the gubernatorial race,
delegates probably will extend their
political discussions to congressional
and all state officials.

Last night additional delegates to
the state convention were arriving in
Port Arthur and others are expected
today, swelling the attendance of
delegates to around 500, with hun-
dreds of other visitors sure to arrive.

W. A. Trotter, of Indianapolis,
Indiana, second vice president of the
International Typographical Union,
gave the oath of office and installed
the new officials of the Texas council
for the ensuing year.

Want Delegates Instructed
Seven resolutions submitted by
the Allied Printing Trades
Council for action were adopted in
the Saturday sessions, held in Car-
penters' hall. Sentiment in favor of
Texas sending an instructed dele-
gation to the National Democratic con-
vention in New York City, submitted
by E. C. Bowen, of Corpus
Christi, was set forth in one of the
resolutions adopted. Another also
adopted, presented by George L.
Fisher, secretary of the Allied
Printing Council, put the council on
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KNIGHTS HOLD SERVICE TODAY

Rev. Godbey to Address
Local Commandery

Easter services for members of Port
Arthur Commandery No. 73, Knights
Templar, will be conducted at 11 a.
m. Sunday in the First M. E. church,
South, Fifth. E. H. Godbey, Knight
Templar officer, said Saturday.

The Knights are requested to as-
semble at their hall Sunday morning
at 10 o'clock and march from there
to the church in a body, headed by T.
P. Gardner, commander. Special per-
son will be reserved in the church au-
thorium, and the Knights Templar will
attend the service wearing the full
dress uniform of their order, officials
said.

The Rev. V. A. Godbey, pastor of
the First M. E. church, and member
of the Knights Templar, will preach
the sermon at the services Sunday
morning, and the Knights will conduct
their ritual, led by C. B. Moore, pre-
late.

Port Arthur Man Is Fined \$500 By Estes

BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—
O. J. Dugas, Port Arthur, was fined
\$500 here in federal court by Judge
W. L. Estes. Dugas was charged
with having transported liquor from
Port Arthur to Beaumont and had en-
tered a plea of not guilty.

Here Are a Few of Many Big Features in The News

There are just a few of the good
things to be found in The News
today, arranged in handy form
for the convenience of readers.
With this issue The News in-
corporates a series of full page
cartoons depicting in amusing
fashion people, events and things
by W. L. Hill, the famous car-
toonist. These will appear every
Sunday.

News today comprises 22
pages.

SECTION ONE
State news, including the chair-
man's report, Port Arthur news,
Page 2.

SECTION TWO
Texas University breaks world
melody relay race, Sport Pages
3 and 4.

SECTION THREE
Future of towns along Col-
dwell road depends on export
policy, outlined by way of Port
Arthur. Other articles of this
series will follow. Page 1.

SECTION FOUR
Foreign college graduates in
Port Arthur listed as illustrations
Page 1.

SECTION FIVE
Feature news of events and
people.

SECTION SIX
The Small Town Hotel, full
page of pictures by W. E. Hill,
famous cartoonist who will appear
every Sunday exclusively in The
News. Page 2.

SECTION SEVEN
The "Messenger" by Julia
Frances Wood, Bus Ribbon Story,
one of a series appearing
exclusively every Sunday in The
News. Page 2.

SECTION EIGHT
The evolution of the Easter hat
and fashions, Page 3.

SECTION NINE
Daugherty investigation committee,
statement of remarkable series on
the life of the Ksarine, pictures
by T. H. Page 6.

SECTION TEN
The Texas color-comic, section
drawn by world famous cartoon-
ists.

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Fills, Factions
And Otherwise
By "S. S."

Church
Monday's San Jacinto day.
Howard Smith in New Orleans.
Did you do your banking Saturday?
Yesterday payday—another coming
up.
Nederland postal examinations de-
layed.
Churches have special Easter
music today.
Traffic on Fifth street rivalled Procter
Saturday.
Sister of Port Arthur woman wins
\$500 art prize.
Injured man found on interurban
parkway on Procter.
Society prepares to resume activity
as fast comes to end.
Ralph Spence prepares to join
Fifth street merchants.
Some of the boys couldn't wait for
an official seer-sucker day.
A straw hat brigade gained many
new recruits as Easter arrives.
Texas State Federation of Labor
goes into session here Monday.
Kiddies stayed awake last night
waiting for Easter bunnies to come.
Constable Baker finds whisky in
pitcher when he starts to wash his
hands.
"Rep" Harding discarded last
year's summer straw for Panama for
Easter.
Citizens' Military Training camp
to be held at Port San Houston in
August.
State convention of American Fed-
eration of Labor opens sessions here
Monday.
Texas painters fishing at the Jet-
ty Sunday, guests of the Port Ar-
thur local.
Saturday night and pay night
coming to make a regular Port Ar-
thur holiday.
Meeting next Friday to discuss
joint incorporation of Nederland and
Port Neches.
EASTER PARADE—Don't the old
toys look shabby after you've pur-
chased new ones?
Decorators at work at 1 a. m. today
putting up bunting on Austin to wel-
come labor delegates.
Chamber of commerce directors to
take up street car extension-jitney
problem Monday night.
Wall street reported betting Neff
will win out in fight for uninstructed
Democratic delegation to convention.
Boy Scouts of Troop 16 went over
the top with their picture show tick-
ets, E. R. Clements, scoutmaster,
reports.
"Port Arthur today is the capital of
the greatest oil refining district in the
world," Jean Macrosson in The
Saturday Evening Post.
Mayor G. P. Logan and family
spent Saturday fishing at Hildebrandt
bayou. "We caught a few fish, too,"
the mayor said Saturday night.
EASTER FASHIONS—Liber-
tine failed to be university favorite since
today, but "S. S." doesn't think it
smells as good as ham and eggs.
"Speaking of useless information, if
Australia could be placed in the At-
lantic ocean it would fill up the space
between Great Britain and America,
postcards the Town School.
One less highbrow strutter in the
Easter parade across the tracks police
remarked Saturday night as they
looked her up in jail on a complaint
of intoxication lodged on the blotter.

Today's Five Best Radio Features

(Copyright, 1924, by United Press)
12:45 p. m. (EST)—Concert of the
Sunday Symphony Society, (453 meters).
1:45 p. m. (EST)—Dr. Sparkes Con-
fession and Men's conference with
music by the Federation Radio Choir,
WGN, Chicago, (710 meters).
5 p. m. (EST)—Special Easter Sunday
Program.
WEAF, New York, (125 meters).
7:30 p. m. (EST)—Musical program
from the Capitol Theater.
WDAF, Kansas City, (411 meters).
8 p. m. (EST)—Choir of the Univer-
sity Methodist church.

PARTLY CLOUDY

EAST TEXAS: Sunday, partly
cloudy; Monday, unsettled, not much
change in temperature.
WEST TEXAS: Sunday and Mon-
day, partly cloudy, not much change
in temperature.

TEXAS WEATHER AND ROADS
Dallas—Clear; roads good.
Fort Worth—Clear; roads fine.
Houston—Clear; roads good.
San Antonio—Clear; roads good.

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Easter Styles and Easter Music Attract Port Arthur Society

Symphony Club Gives Enjoyable Program Monday

THIS is Easter! Milady will bally forth today in her new frock and bonnet to the church of her choice. This is prayer, praise, thanksgiving, and music in the air, for does not Easter announce the arrival of spring, concluding forty days of fasting and prayer? Milady will abandon her sack cloth and day and again adorn herself in pretty rainbow hues, celebrating the resurrection of the Christ. Happy children gather the eggs of gold and silver and pastel shades at this season, for it is Easter.

Numbers of college boys and girls have been spending the Easter holidays with their parents. Others farther away have been spending a few days with relatives and friends, while those remaining at school will receive Easter boxes from home which have been happily anticipated.

Society the last week has been busy in a quiet sort of way, entertaining the attractive visitors and interspersing its social calendar with a dance now and then, a lovely wedding, and a few more or less elaborate luncheons. But that in which society has really been interested is the announcement of post-Lenten affairs.

PERHAPS the outstanding event of the coming week's social calendar which engages the attention of society in general is the Old-fashioned Concert, which will be given by the Symphony club on the evening of April 24, at the Department Club at 8:15 o'clock. The entertainment is being given for the benefit of the piano fund, the Symphony Club having purchased a Grand piano to be used for concerts and for the Symphony Club programs, and an upright piano, which was presented to the Department Club, for use for the dances and other entertainments in the club rooms.

The Old-fashioned Concert is said to be something different and in all probability will be such as its name implies. It will be presented in two parts, the first part being a sketch in the costumes of today and the second half being given in old-fashioned costumes. The concert will be delightful and there will be quite a comparison between the songs of today and the songs of long ago.

THE plot of the two sketches is based on an argument begun in the first act, when several persons are supposed to have returned from an opera and are dissatisfied with the songs they hear. One of the party remarks that the songs of today are not as beautiful as the old-fashioned songs. In this manner the old-fashioned songs are introduced, among which are "Sweet Genevieve," "Love's Old Sweet Song," "The Old Dutch Buckle," "Believe Me of All Those Endearing Young Charms," "The Last Rose of Summer," "Loch Lomond," "Comin' Thru the Rye," and "One of the Merry Men of the Olden Time." Mrs. M. J. Panton and Miss Marie Pierson, will dance the minuet in costume, and between the acts Joe Park will sing a group of songs with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Park.

The committee in charge of the arrangements for the Old-fashioned concert is anticipating a large attendance at the entertainment, the rapid sale of tickets indicating this fact. Mrs. Clifford G. Hall is supervising the concert, and the tickets are in charge of Mrs. V. D. Mercer and Mrs. L. M. Davis.

HIGH SCHOOL SENIORS

GUESTS OF AUXILIARY. Naming Misses Willie Marie Monahan and Lora Wells, and Ralph Haynes and T. Oth Buckland, seniors at P. A. H. S. as honor guests, the Woman's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist entertained with a pleasing party Friday evening at the home of Mrs. T. E. Cannedy on Stillwell boulevard.

The variety colors of purple and gold were artistically featured in the decorations of the home, and during the evening a short program was rendered. Readings were given by Misses Violet Edwards and Lorraine Woodman and Rev. T. E. Cannedy, and Mrs. A. C. Anderson made a short talk concerning Baylor college. Rev. and Mrs. Cannedy told of other Baptist schools in Texas and Mrs. G. L. Lambly told some interesting facts about the Baptist schools. In two amusing contests A. W. Smith was awarded the prize and Miss Hettie Mary Clegg received the other prize. A tasty ice course was served during the late hours of the evening.

Enjoying the affair were Misses Willie Marie Monahan, Lora Wells, Margaret Egan, Lena Hollman, Irma Rogers, Helen Rogers, Annie Hunt, Pearl York, Myronne Onalene, Rae Teaguer, Robert Wiley, Dillie Dawson, Edna Griffith, Violet Edwards, Lorraine Woodman, Mary Hyde, and Marjorie Nickes; Messrs. T. Oth Buckland, Ralph Haynes, A. W. Smith, Whitney Dawson, Willie Welch, John Tenger, L. M. Jones, John Lambly, Robert Wiley, L. E. Hunt, and C. B. Townsend; Mrs. R. F. Davis, Mrs. L. W. Townsend, Mrs. H. S. Hyde, Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lambly, and Rev. and Mrs. T. E. Cannedy.

Mrs. Gunthorpe Entertains With Bridge Party

Mrs. C. H. Gunthorpe, Jr., entertained with an attractive appointed bridge Wednesday afternoon at her home, 3123 Seventh street, Model Addition.

Three tables of players enjoyed the games in a setting made attractive with a profusion of lovely pastel tinted roses, the pink theme predominating. Score pads and tallies displayed the pink hues and the delightful course served at the close of the games showed the pink theme in clever manner. In the games Mrs. Ethel Young Stuckey was awarded the guest favor and Mrs. Masters received the prize for high score.

The personnel of guests included Mrs. Ethel Young Stuckey, Mrs. Masters, Mrs. H. K. Harkins, Mrs. Henland, Mrs. G. T. Melton, Mrs. Frank Waller, Mrs. Harry Homier, Mrs. George T. Smith, Mrs. Fred Abbey, Mrs. O. J. Abshire, Mrs. M. A. Armstrong, and Mrs. L. B. Kolb.

FIFTH BIRTHDAY IS CELEBRATED

Mrs. Frank K. Borden delightedly entertained a number of little folks Tuesday afternoon at her home, 709 Lake Shore drive, in celebration of the fifth birthday of her little son, Richard, the little guests being drawn from the Coast and Geodetic Survey group.

The celebration took the form of an Easter egg hunt in the Borden's garden, with Bobbie Patterson winning the prize for finding the most eggs. The children were delighted during the afternoon hours which refreshments were served, the chief feature being the double-iced cake in a nest of green and surrounded by an Easter bunny. There were the requisite number of candles topping the cake and colored frostings gave an added charm to the lovely confection. Ice cream and cakes were served and eggs were presented to the youngsters.

While the children played the mothers enjoyed a porch party and also shared the refreshments. The children included Joyce Wilder, Virginia Wilder, Marian Button, Katharine McManis, Beaudette, Barbara Borden, Bobbie Patterson, Omar Patterson, Frederick Craib and Richard Borden.

DEPARTMENT CLUB TO MEET MONDAY. The Department Club will meet in regular session Monday afternoon at the clubhouse at 3 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a president to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. A. A. Gunter. Mrs. Gunter was elected president of the Department Club for the 1924-25 term, but on account of her health, she has been forced to resign.

In addition to the election of a president, three directors will be elected. Programs will be requested on this occasion and other important business matters will be discussed. Mrs. A. F. Graham, president of the Department Club, requests a full attendance of the members.

MISS WELLS HOSTESS TO INTERMEDIATE B. Y. P. U.

Miss Rena Wells entertained the Intermediate B. Y. P. U. of the Memorial Baptist church at her home Thursday evening. An enjoyable evening was spent with music and various games.

The present were Lillian Scott, Maude Scott, Doris Barnes, Mildred Barnes, Alice Gould, Loretta Cunningham, Christina Slight, Agnes Sibley, Delores Miller, Elaine Latour, Edna McAfee, Lillian Robertson, Odagene Kay, Beatrice Faulk, Katherine Richards, Pauline Wells, Christine Wells, Lillian Cunningham, Joseph Wells, Loke Delord, Cider Kiger, Wilma McAfee, Thurman Sikes, Pete Matvie, Billie Sibley, Marion Williams, Allen Webb, W. R. Merrell, George Richards, Harold Cornishan, John Cornishan, Clyde Bousse, Jeff Wells, Jr., and the hostess, Rena Wells.

Reading Club To Study Problem of Immigration

The problems of Americanization and immigration will be studied by the women of the Reading Club Friday afternoon at the club meeting at the Department Club at 3 o'clock. Mrs. J. H. Wingate will have charge of the afternoon's program which will be as follows: "True and False Americanization"—Mrs. G. K. Lomax. "The Influence of Past Immigration on Present American Civilization"—Mrs. Wiley Robbette. "The Pro and Con of the Immigration Restriction Laws"—Mrs. Pen-diction Beall.

Members of the Reading Club are anticipating with much pleasure the program, which will be given by the club in connection with Music Week. At the request of Miss Audrey Lucille Smith, supervisor of music in the public schools, a musical program will be given instead of the program. Mrs. Chris F. Peterson is arranging the program to be given on this occasion, the date being May 9. The program will be presented at the Department Club.

Popular Bride and Her Attendants at Beautiful Wedding



Spend - The - Day Party At Country Club Proves Delightful Event of Week

MRS. GEORGE E. CARTER'S division of the Ladies Aid of the First Methodist Episcopal church entertained with a most delightful spend-the-day-party at the Country Club Wednesday afternoon in celebration of W. H. Ache's division.

The guests assembled at the church at 10 o'clock and motored to the Country Club, where refreshments were served beneath the spreading trees and numerous outdoor pleasures were enjoyed. Piano and victrola music was enjoyed in the club rooms. Needlework gave diversion for some of the guests and golf was enjoyed by others. At noon an elaborate luncheon was served in the clubhouse, and during the afternoon a delicious ice course was served by the losing division.

Enjoying the outing were Mrs. Charles Carter, Mrs. L. B. Bradberry, Mrs. Enlow Dixon, Mrs. Ola Windham, Mrs. F. A. Bushong, Mrs. J. M. Latham, Mrs. P. Lagrone, Mrs. S. C. Fox, Mrs. P. S. DeWitt, Mrs. H. K. Goodwin, Mrs. G. C. Maile, Mrs. J. Whelpley, Mrs. George Woodworth, Mrs. Fred Borden, Mrs. Earl Borden, Mrs. F. M. Harle, Mrs. C. H. McCall, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. B. Falkenberg, Mrs. P. Almaraz, Mrs. M. E. Powell, Mrs. A. M. Rutan, Mrs. E. C. Follette, Mrs. W. E. Aches, Mrs. C. W. Rodgers, Mrs. Charles Rusby, Mrs. H. C. Witbeck, Mrs. W. P. Park, Mrs. R. E. Camp, Mrs. A. F. Graham, Mrs. N. T. Fuller, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. I. A. Troyer, Mrs. L. L. LeMaster, Mrs. H. W. Corbett, Mrs. L. B. Abbey, Mrs. John LeBlanc, Mrs. Wallace Follette, Mrs. Burr Camp, Mrs. T. B. Kerr, Mrs. Walter Tate, Mrs. E. P. Burtsworth, Mrs. B. L. Lewis, Mrs. McCull, Sr., Mrs. W. R. Liby, Mrs. Charles Stevenson, Mrs. E. J. Smith, Mrs. Stappert, Mrs. V. E. Sherill, Mrs. Terpetra, Mrs. C. R. Robinson, Mrs. G. E. Carter, Mrs. F. C. Freeman, Miss Mary Camp, Miss Lois Rodgers, Miss Anna S. Terpetra, Mildred Borden, Emma and Charlotte Freeman, Latham Harle, Baby Freeman, Helen LeMaster, Ahaues, Joe Le-groene, Baby Ahaues, Bonnie Goodwin, and Marjorie Woodworth.

The home was attractively decorated with a pink and white theme, the Easter lilies predominating in the scheme. Cards gave diversion for the guests during the evening, and at the time appointed for the shower announcement was made that a contest was to be held, and Miss Miller was to be blindfolded. While the honor guest was blindfolded a huge pink and white Easter egg was placed in front of her and as the blindfold was removed she discovered what had happened. Taking the top off the large Easter egg she found many beautiful and useful gifts.

Delicious refreshments of orange punch and cake were served and enjoyed by the guests of honor, Miss Emma Miller, Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, Mrs. Fred Drunager, Mrs. Mary Miller, Miss Thekla Siebelitz, Miss Thekla Siebelitz, Miss-Oled Miller, Miss Laura Gaertner, Miss Clara Wukovich, Miss Matilda Wagner, Miss Ella Prof, Conrad R. Prof, D. A. Schumaker, and Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Anderson.

FOREIGN MISSIONARY SOCIETY WILL MEET

The Foreign Missionary Society of the First Methodist Episcopal church will meet Thursday afternoon at the church at 2:30 o'clock, with Mrs. J. M. Latham, Mrs. Charles Stevenson and Mrs. C. A. McDonald as hostesses.

The afternoon's program on "Africa" will be in charge of Mrs. W. Streeter. The devotional service "The Missionary Banquet" will be conducted by Mrs. N. T. Fuller, and Mrs. Harry Maile will tell of "Melville B. Cox." Mrs. J. Gray will speak on "The Message of the Luke-well" and Mrs. S. C. Fox will give a sermonette on "Love."

An ice course was served and enjoyed by Mrs. R. A. Shivers, Mrs. E. L. Disnaker, Mrs. M. E. Unberger, Mrs. M. L. Black, Mrs. G. Shaw, Mrs. J. L. Albritton, and Mrs. A. W. Dycus. On May 1 Mrs. M. L. Black will be the circles' hostess at her home, 1920 Twelfth street.

EASTERN STAR MEETS TUESDAY

The Eastern Star will meet Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the Masonic hall. A class will be initiated on this occasion.

LADIES AID TO MEET AT ANNEX

The Ladies Aid of the Presbyterian church will meet at the Annex Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Hostesses for the afternoon will be Mrs. B. A. Schander and Mrs. W. J. Adams.

Wedding Party

Today's pictures show the festive members of the Perry-Crum wedding, a brilliant event of the past week and one of the most elaborate affairs of the Lenten season. Mrs. Charles C. Perry (upper right), the bride, was formerly Miss Helen Crum, elder daughter of Mrs. W. H. Crum. Her sister, Mrs. W. D. P. Rhinehart, (upper left), formerly of Springfield, Mo., attended her as matron of honor, and little Edna Margaret Cantwell, (lower right) served as the ring-bearer. Little Miss Mary Frances Bunker, (lower left) was one of the dainty flower girls, who served with little Nell Barron, whose picture does not appear in the group.

Leigon Auxiliary To Give Dance Monday Evening

Among the delightful affairs of the coming week of unusual interest to society in general is the dance at the Department Club, which will be sponsored by members of the American Legion Auxiliary. The affair will be given on Monday evening, with dancing beginning at 8 o'clock.

MRS. WHITE HOSTESS TO CIRCLE THREE

Mrs. S. E. White was hostess to Circle Three of the Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church, Thursday afternoon at her home, 1301 Eighth street. The devotional service was conducted by Mrs. Jennie Culp, and a reading was given by Mrs. W. Martin, showing forth what Jehovah will do for those who will seek and serve Him. After the business session a round table discussion ensued on the study at missionary books. Delicious refreshments were offered and enjoyed by Mrs. Jennie Culp, Mrs. C. Taylor, Mrs. D. W. Boyd, Mrs. J. C. Moore, Mrs. A. J. Jones, Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. R. W. Martin, and Mrs. S. E. White.

MRS. BAKER TO ENTERTAIN MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Mrs. C. T. Baker, assisted by Mrs. A. McClintock, Mrs. L. M. Leverett, Mrs. N. F. Love, Mrs. Robert Saffley, Mrs. L. L. McGaffey, Mrs. M. E. Cadwallader, Mrs. B. M. Stokes and Mrs. M. E. Stuckey, will entertain the Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, Thursday afternoon at her home, 2405 Lake Shore drive. Thursday's affair is the monthly social meeting of the Missionary Society and a delightful program is being arranged for the occasion.

Miss Emma Miller Weds on Thursday At Trinity Church

AMONG the outstanding events of the coming week is the wedding of Miss Emma Miller, only daughter of Mrs. Elizabeth Miller, and Mr. Conrad Proft, which will be solemnized Thursday evening at the Trinity Lutheran church at 7:30 o'clock, with Rev. F. W. Siebelitz performing the impressive double ring ceremony.

The wedding will be the first to take place in the handsome new church and will be an affair quite in keeping with the beautiful interior of the auditorium. The decorations for the wedding will be confined mainly to the altar, where roses, lilies and fern will be used in artistic profusion. An arch will be fashioned above the altar and beneath this arch of green foliage, garnished with dainty blossoms, the young couple will plight their troth. Seats for the immediate families of the contracting parties will be marked with flowers.

The bride's costume will be of lustrous white satin, draped with georgette with elaboration of pears and beads, caught at the side. Her train will also be of white satin, encrusted with pearls, and her filmy tulle veil will be adjusted with a bandeau of orange blossoms. She will carry a bouquet of lilies of the valley.

She will be attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Ella Proft, sister of the groom-to-be, and Miss Thelma Siebelitz, both of whom will wear ruffled taffeta frocks, Miss Proft's being delicate blue, and Miss Siebelitz's being of the peach hues. Both will carry bouquets of sweet peas. Miss Mary Miller will serve as matron of honor and she will wear a soft gown of grey crepe, adorned with beads, and she will also carry sweet peas. Little Mary Louise Miller, the tiny flower girl, will wear ruffled white organdy, and Ellsworth Miller, the ring bearer, will be attired in white linen.

Henry Wittmershausen will serve as best man, Herman Miller, brother of the bride-elect, and Lothar Jangmich will act as groomsmen, and Martin Rebeck and C. C. Birkman will serve as ushers. The bride will be given in marriage by her brother, Alfred Miller.

The wedding music will be given by Mrs. J. E. Singletary, who will sing "O Promise Me," and William Kamprecht, who will play Lohengrin's wedding march as a processional and the wedding march from "Valeret" as the recessional.

A reception will be held at the Miller home following the wedding, and the young couple will leave during the evening for a wedding trip to San Antonio, Galveston and other points of interest. They will be at home after May 1 to their friends at 2047 Thirteenth street, where Mr. Proft has an attractively furnished home awaiting his bride.

Both Miss Miller and her fiancé are widely known in Port Arthur. Until recently she was employed as bookkeeper at Crowell-Gifford, and Mr. Proft is affiliated with the Brinkman Supply company. Miss Miller was reared and educated in Port Arthur but Mr. Proft has only been residing here four years.

FRIDAY. Friday Bridge Club with Mrs. Joe Park, 3469 Seventh street, Model Addition. Executive Club of the W. B. A. of the Macabees with Mrs. W. J. Miller, 2247 Sixth street, 2:30 o'clock. Ladies Aid of the Methodist church with Mrs. A. S. Tarrick, 2:30 o'clock. Royal Neighbors at hall in Hartford building at Odd Fellows hall, 3 o'clock. Foreign Missionary Society of First Methodist Episcopal church at church, 2:30 o'clock.

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SATURDAY. Minnehaha Campfire girls meet with guardians, 1015 Twelfth street, 8 o'clock. Walcott Campfire girls meet at kitchen of Columbus hotel with guardians, Mrs. L. T. Daspit, 3 o'clock.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY TO PRESENT PLAY. The Young Ladies Missionary Society of the First M. E. Church, South, will present a play, "Miss Fearless and Company," the latter part of May. Plans for the entertainment were made at Wednesday's meeting of the Missionary Society. The Bible study for the afternoon was conducted by Miss Willa Yeatt.

Those attending the session were Misses Jewel Jernigan, Willa Yeatt, Catherine Wall, Blanche McBride, Cleone Hill, Mabel Orr, Lema Thornton, Martha McNeill, Daisy Edwards and Audrey Mee Dunlavin.

CIVIC CLUB HOLDS MEET. At Friday's session of the Civic Club the members voted to meet only once a month next year, and planned a program of study for the coming club year. It was decided to appoint a committee of three to take charge of each month's program.

The members voted to serve the Department Club's final luncheon on May 12 at the clubhouse, and made plans for raising money to keep the Civic Club park in condition during the summer months. Announcement was made by Mrs. Dick Schultz that a sum of twenty-five dollars was cleared on the small plant sale held last week.

Quiet Ceremony Marks Weddings Of Local Couple

The wedding of Miss Allie Krueger and Lerra Mingo, a quietly solemnized Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the First M. E. Church, South, with Rev. V. A. Godeby performing the ceremony in the presence of Miss Leonora Latimer, C. B. Nelson and Verna Harrison.

The bride was attired in an attractive frock of grey crepe with touches of red roses in trimming. She wore a smart hat and accessories in gray. She is a charming young woman and has lived in Port Arthur sometime. The groom is an employee of the Gulf Refining company.

Mr. and Mrs. Mingo left for a short wedding trip to Houston and Galveston and upon their return will make their home on Thomas boulevard where Mr. Mingo has a prettily furnished home for his wife.

MISS THELMA McALPIN HAS WEEK-END LEST. Miss Thekla McAlpin, of Leno, Ia., is spending the week-end with Miss Thelma McAlpin of 2991 Ninth street.

MRS. TUMA PROVES CORRAL HOSTESS. Mrs. W. H. Tuma proved a corral hostess Thursday afternoon when she entertained Circle Four of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church at her home, 1015 Thomas boulevard. On account of the absence of the chairman, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, the session was conducted by Mrs. Joe Corbelle, president of the Auxiliary, who also led the devotional service on singing and conducted the mission study on "Training for Leadership." In attendance Thursday were Mrs. John LeBlanc, Mrs. A. C. Peterson, Mrs. O. Goider, Mrs. S. R. Hensley, Mrs. O. Wason, Mrs. J. L. Davis, Mrs. J. L. Griffith, Mrs. H. W. Heid, Mrs. J. R. Jones, Mrs. Joe Corbelle and Mrs. W. E. Tuma.

SOCIETY

GIVEN THURSDAY

A splendid program was given Thursday afternoon by Circle One of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church at the home of Mrs. E. A. Hood, 1132 Beechmont avenue. Mrs. S. M. Humphrey had charge of the program on "South America," which was composed of talks and readings on that subject. At the business hour the women planned to take up the study of the mission book, "In Royal Service" the first week in May. Refreshments were offered by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. A. T. Stewart and Mrs. E. H. White.

Those in attendance Thursday were Mrs. E. V. Wilkinson, Mrs. J. W. Crouch, Mrs. E. J. DeJoy, Mrs. W. E. Hood, Mrs. S. M. Humphrey, Mrs. E. H. White, and the hostess, Mrs. E. A. Hood.

On Thursday, May 1, the circle will meet with Mrs. E. H. White on Tenth street.

MRS. MERWIN HOSTESS

Mrs. E. G. Merwin was hostess at a delightful party Friday evening when she entertained her Sunday School class of the Church of Christ at her home, 2715 Eighth street.

The home was prettily adorned with the Easter decorations, with lily of the valley and fern giving floral charm. Games and Victrola music were enjoyed during the evening and in an Easter contest Mrs. Alfred Bagg was awarded the prize. Tasty refreshments of cake and sherbet were served.

Enjoying the occasion were Misses Leamy Sikes, Blanche Bell Duke, Emory Prothro, Willie C. Duke and Dorothy Merwin; Messrs. George Merwin, Frank Kilbourne, Harry Hickey, Homer Ware, Turner, 14-year-old Duke and A. C. Smith; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bagg and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Merwin and children, Helen, Margaret and Ruth.

DEGREE OF HONOR TO MEET MONDAY

The Degree of Honor will meet Monday evening at the K. P. hall. The hour for the meeting is scheduled at 7:30 o'clock. Important matters are to be considered at this meeting.

W. B. A. OF MACCABEES TO MEET WEDNESDAY

The W. B. A. of the Maccabees will meet Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the hall in the Hartford building. Several matters of importance will be discussed on this occasion.

MRS. W. F. SYLVESTER GOES TO HOUSTON

Mrs. W. F. Sylvester of 1314 Fifth street leaves today for Houston to attend the State convention of the Maccabees as a delegate from the Port Arthur Review. W. B. A. of the Maccabees.

MRS. BLACK AND DAUGHTER RETURN FROM DALLAS

Mrs. M. L. Black and daughter, Miss Adele Black, of 1320 Twelfth street have returned after a visit of two weeks with relatives and friends in Dallas and Waco, Tex.

W. S. I. CLUB TO OBSERVE GUEST DAY ON TUESDAY

The Women's Self Improvement Club will observe Guest Day Tuesday afternoon at the attractive home of Mrs. G. M. Sims in Griffling Residential Park, the hours being from 3 to 5 o'clock.

An entertaining program is being arranged by Mrs. S. L. Schunk for the afternoon, and Mrs. Sims will be assisted in entertaining the guests by Mrs. J. C. Reynolds, Mrs. C. A. Person and Mrs. B. McGladwin.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO MEET THURSDAY

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church will meet in all-day session Thursday at the church with Joe Cortbell presiding.

The morning session will begin at 10:30 o'clock, with the devotional services on the subject of "Ethics" in charge of Mrs. S. M. Humphrey. Mrs. S. L. White will have charge of the missionary program on "South America," which will be as follows: "Brazil"—Mrs. G. W. Strickland, "Argentina and Chile"—Mrs. W. S. Thomas. Reading: "Christ of the Andes."

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Mrs. G. W. Culp. At 12:30 o'clock a picnic luncheon will be served by members of Circle Five. During the afternoon the monthly business session will be held. Mrs. Cortbell urges all officers and committee members to turn in reports at this session at which time plans will be made for entertaining the Southeast Texas association on May 23.

MRS. PRICHARD HOSTESS TO WEDNESDAY WHIST CLUB

Mrs. G. L. Prichard will entertain members of the Wednesday Whist Club with a delightfully informal picnic luncheon at the Country Club Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock. The afternoon hours will be spent in playing whist.

MRS. IRWIN ENTERTAINS CIRCLE ON THURSDAY

Circle Ten of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. W. P. Irwin, 2245 Seventh street, Thursday afternoon in an interesting session. An instructive program on "South America as a Mission Field" was rendered as follows:

Devotional: Mrs. J. R. Warren. Introductory talk: "South America, commercially and geographically"—Mrs. W. P. Irwin.

Vocal solo: Mrs. Travis Lambert. "Protestant Missions on the southern continent"—Miss J. A. Turner. Reading: "The Christ of the Andes"—Mrs. Frank Walker.

Vocal duet: "Jesus Lover of My Soul" (Soprano)—Mrs. Florence Cobb and Mrs. C. W. Culp, accompanied by Mrs. Lambert, piano, and Mrs. Adrian Chalmers, violin.

Talk: "Argentina"—Mrs. G. F. Wilson.

Prayer for missionaries in South America—Mrs. Culp.

Talk: "Brazil as a Baptist mission field"—Mrs. Tom Ellis.

Vocal duet: "There is a Land" (Soprano)—Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Culp.

At the close of the program a short business session was held and a social hour was enjoyed during which time Mrs. Cobb's rendition of Morrison's "Meditation" on the piano was thoroughly enjoyed. Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Walter and Mrs. Turner.

Among those present were Mrs. J. R. Warren, Mrs. Frank Walker, Mrs. Florence Cobb, Mrs. C. W. Culp, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Mrs. Travis Lambert, Mrs. S. J. Tucker, Mrs. Adrian Chalmers, Mrs. Tom Ellis, Mrs. G. Dutton, Mrs. A. M. Goldsmith, Mrs. S. J. Whitehead and the hostess, Mrs. W. P. Irwin.

MRS. A. S. POLLOCK ENTERTAINS THURSDAY

Mrs. A. S. Pollock entertained Circle Seven of the Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church Thursday afternoon at her home, 2809 Sixth street. The missionary program on "South America" was rendered during the afternoon hours and the following talks were given: "Brazil"—Mrs. G. W. Strickland, "Argentina and Chile"—Mrs. W. S. Thomas. Reading: "Christ of the Andes."

"Serving South America"—Mrs. Pollock. "Greater Love"—Mrs. R. I. Porter. "Do We Need South America?"

Mrs. N. B. Hampton.

"Does South America Need Us?"—Mrs. B. T. Miles.

"Protestant Missions in the Southern Continent"—Mrs. W. G. Montgomery.

"Brazil"—Mrs. N. B. Hampton.

"Argentina"—Mrs. W. H. Baker.

"Chile" and "Women's Work"—Mrs. R. L. Porter.

During the business session Mrs. N. B. Hampton was appointed secretary-treasurer to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mrs. B. T. Miles.

Delicious refreshments were served and enjoyed by Mrs. N. B. Hampton, Mrs. B. T. Miles, Mrs. P. G. Potts, Mrs. W. G. Montgomery, Mrs. W. H. Baker, Mrs. R. L. Porter and Mrs. A. F. Pollock.

KLATTER CLUB GUEST OF MRS. STANTON

Mrs. A. G. Stanton's entertainment of the Klatter Klub was a charmingly arranged affair of Friday's social calendar at her home on DeQueen boulevard.

Beautiful yellow and white roses were arranged throughout the home, suggesting by their tints the Easter theme, which found recognition in the score cards and tables and other table accessories. Three tables of players enjoyed the games, Mrs. B. B. Tinslinson receiving the prize for high score and consolation falling to Mrs. R. B. Brown. The guest favor was presented to Mrs. M. P. Folse. A tempting ice course was offered after the games.

Players for the afternoon included Mrs. R. B. Tinslinson, Mrs. R. B. Brown, Mrs. M. P. Folse, Mrs. J. P. Nelson, Mrs. J. C. Brown, Mrs. A. L. Carter, Mrs. J. M. Foster, Mrs. J. K. Darden, Mrs. H. B. Paggi, Mrs. C. W. Van Cortlandt, Mrs. Kyle Doudy, and Mrs. A. G. Stanton.

Mrs. A. S. Patrick will entertain the club next week.

MISS ADDIE DISMUKES STITCHES CLUB HOSTESS

Miss Addie Dismukes charmingly entertained the Stitches Club Thursday evening at her home, 1547 Fifth street. Delicate tinted roses, clustered in red baskets, tied with pale green tulle, gave floral beauty to the room and formed a pretty setting for the evening's diversion of mail songs and needlework. A dainty ice course was served during the evening, featuring the green and white theme with the ices in the form of an Easter lily and each plate holding pretty sweet peas as favors and green and white mints.

Those enjoying Miss Dismukes' pleasing hospitality were Mrs. H. Bailey Terrell and son, Burnham, Mrs. Arthur Beard, Mrs. Leon Bates, Mrs. John Evans, Mrs. Laurella Burnham, Miss Frances Husbong, Miss Blanche Taylor, Miss Bertha Satterwhite, Miss Dessie Satterwhite, Mrs. Joe Gorin, Miss Leonora Latimer, Mrs. L. A. Glicker, Mrs. Neal D. Radde and little son, Neal Lester, Mrs. Wilbur Abbey, Mrs. Wallace Follette, Mrs. Hor Dismukes, Mrs. J. T. Dismukes, and Mrs. Dismukes.

On May 1, Mrs. Wallace Follette will be the club's hostess at her home, 1506 Ninth street.

Young People's Society

INTERMEDIATE C. E. (First Congregational Church)

John Donaldson will have charge

STATE RESTS IN

PAT MARR CASE

Postal Inspector Is Last On Stand

TENAREANA, April 19.—The government rested its case today in the trial of Pat Marr, accused of using the mails in promoting oil stock.

J. W. Thompson, Cincinnati postoffice inspector was the last of approximately fifty prosecution witnesses to testify. He told of being detailed last August to investigate the activities of the famous Eldorado.

He said Marr admitted when interviewed at the outset of the federal probe that he was not a college graduate as advertised. Marr also admitted, Thompson testified, that he had changed his name by court procedure in Dallas from Howard Morton Margoyles to Pat Marr when he discovered the Eldorado oil fields.

The jury was discharged until Monday when Marr is scheduled to begin his defense.

Child Labor Bill Comes Up Monday

By Good Press.

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The house will take up the proposed child labor constitutional amendment next week. Representative Longworth announced today.

A vote probably will be reached before Friday, it was believed. The amendment would empower congress to regulate or forbid the employment of all persons of less than 15 years of age.

of the special Easter program on "What Easter Means to Me" at the Christian Endeavor Society meeting at the Congregational church at 5 o'clock this evening.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR (First Christian Church)

"Easter, a Time of Joy" will be the subject of the Christian Endeavor program at the First Christian church this evening at 6:30 o'clock.

An interesting program has been arranged by Miss Alice House for the occasion, and all young people of the city are cordially invited to attend the meeting.

LOYALTY B. Y. P. U. (First Baptist Church)

A very interesting program will be rendered by the Loyalty B. Y. P. U. at the First Baptist church this evening at 6:15. All young people not enrolled elsewhere are cordially invited to meet with us.

Subject: "What Is Done For Us In Regeneration?"

Leader—Belle Willis.

Special music—C. N. Bier.

"Regeneration, a Blessing Received From God"—E. T. Outlaw.

"A Birth From Above"—John Hampton.

"Regeneration Reaches the Heart"—Minnie Hollander.

"The New Heart, According to Scripture"—Miss Doremus.

"The New Birth Gives a New Heart"—Miss Blinched.

"The New Birth Needed By All"—Stanley Wedgworth.

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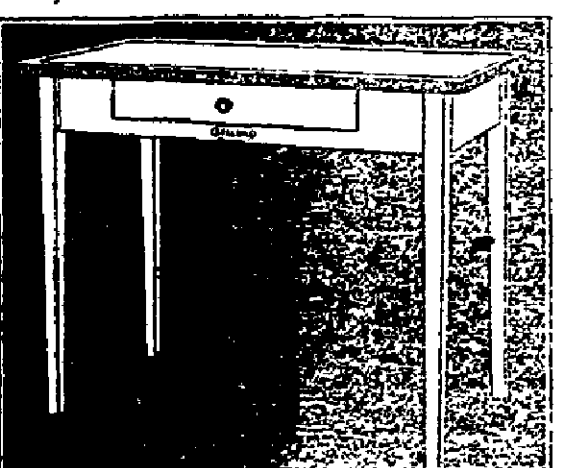
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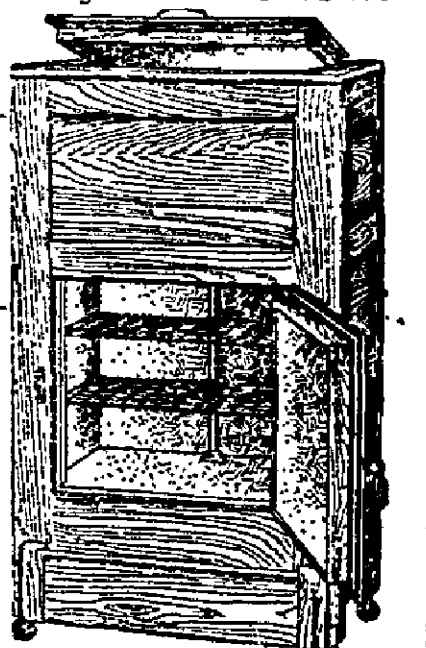
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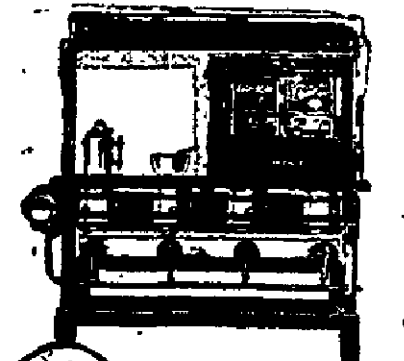
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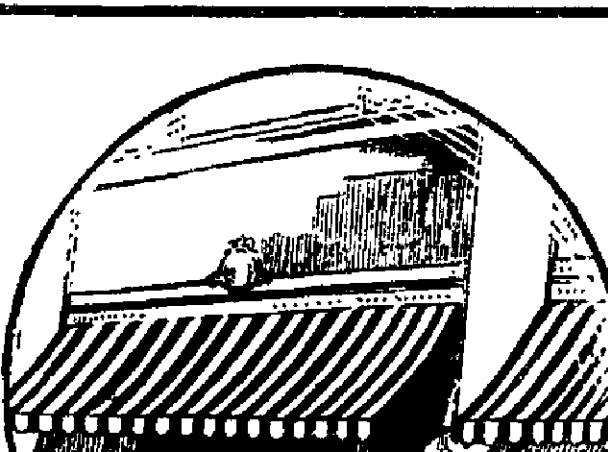


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PRINTERS URGE INSTRUCTIONS

Boost Pressman's Chief For Vice-President

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record as endorsing the candidacy of George L. Berry, president of the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants Union, for the Democratic nomination as vice president of the United States.
The Texas Allied Printing Trades Council shall urge and demand amendment of the Texas state constitution so that all taxes shall be levied against land values only, and that all labor products, whether improvements in or on land or personal property shall be exempt from taxation.
The resolution adopted by the delegates Saturday. This resolution was submitted to the council by William A. Black, executive secretary of the Singletary League of Texas, with headquarters at San Antonio.
"Reactionaries' Trick"
"It is notable that reactionary politicians are urging unscrupulous delegations wherever they find it impossible to get instruction for a resolution adopted by the delegates in the resolution submitted by Bowen and adopted, calling for an instructed Texas delegation to the National Democratic convention.
Efforts to have representatives of the International Typographical Union, and the International Pressmen and Bookbinders' organization to send representatives into Texas for as long a period as is necessary to work with state council officers to put Texas on the union map again will be made by officers of the council, acting under the terms of a resolution to this effect introduced by T. M. Williams, of Fort Worth, chairman of the Texas Allied Printing Trades Council executive committee, and adopted by the delegates.
The printing trades in Texas have been at a standstill for the last three years, and few, if any, of the shops which went out on May 11, 1921, have been reorganized. The time has arrived when we feel that some concrete action should be taken," Williams resolution stated.
An amendment of section 1, article 4, of the constitution and by-laws of the council was voted to read "revenues to this council shall be derived from an annual per capita tax of 50 cents."
Want Checks Labeled
General use of bank check union stamps by union men was urged in a resolution adopted by the council as submitted by John B. Spencer.
One of the most important resolutions adopted because of the stress laid upon the project which it sponsors in the Texas council, was that calling upon the Allied Printing Trades delegates to launch a state-wide campaign to have union labels displayed on all products turned out by union labor, council officials said Saturday. George W. Fisher, secretary-treasurer of the council, drew up and submitted the resolution, which was adopted by the delegates.
In a comprehensive report of the progress and development made during the past year by the Texas Allied Printing Trades Council, submitted in connection with his financial report, showing a balance of \$124.55 in the council's treasury, George W. Fisher, of Fort Worth, secretary-treasurer of the council, recommended three projects to the council, as follows:
1. That our legislative activities be placed in the hands of the joint legislative board and that we make an effort to have the state printing plant bill made one of three preferential measures in the state federation of labor.
2. That we make a determined effort to have our state-wide international organizations maintain representatives in this state for the purpose of reorganizing the printing industry, which has made no progress since the strike was declared on May 11, 1921.
3. That we devote our efforts to work pushing the union label keeping work out of the state shops both within and without the state, so that we use every effort in keeping up the country publisher and printer to the importance of keeping it country and city business within the state.
Officials Commended
Commendation for both President George Wilson and Secretary-Treasurer Fisher was voted in the report of the committee on officers' report, filed with the council Saturday by C. C. Bazel, chairman, and D. S. Davenport, member. Adoption of Fisher's report and three recommendations, provided that some method should be adopted to take care of the legislative program in case the state federation does not make it a practical issue, was recommended by the officers' reports committee.
Addresses before the Saturday sessions of the council were given by Otto Beiling, Texas representative of the International Typographical Union, who told of his work during the last 12 months adjusting difficulties, getting wage scales signed up and attending to various other projects coming up in his jurisdiction, comprising in addition to Texas, the states of Mississippi, Louisiana and Oklahoma; R. E. Roberts, state secretary of the Texas Carpenters Council, who brought felicitations and greetings from his organization to the members of the Allied Printing Trades Council; and William J. Moran, of El Paso, editor of an organized labor publication.
Non-Partisans Ask Funds
A telegram from G. N. Idar, organizer for the International Union of Bricklayers, asking funds for the Non-Partisan Political party was ordered referred to the State Federation of Labor for action.
T. C. Caruso, secretary of Union No. 525, Amarillo, wired the Texas Allied Printing Trades Council to support efforts being made to have Amarillo selected as the 1925 convention city for the State Federation of Labor.
Among the delegates reporting on conditions in their sections of Texas were C. M. Duckworth and William Beiler, both of Dallas; Claude Canterbury, and F. M. Williams, both of Fort Worth; K. E. Choate and E. V. Allen, both of Houston; D. S. Davenport, of San Antonio; C. L. Hennessey, of Port Arthur; C. L. Phillips, of Beaumont; E. C. Bowen, of Corpus Christi; John R. Spencer, of Waco; Ed Shay and E. F. Peter-

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Men's Bible Class Has Special Music

Special Easter Music Will Be Given at the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist Church at 9:30 a. m. Sunday in the People's theater, J. C. Herpin, class official, said Saturday.

Mrs. A. V. Corley directs the music for the class, and the program arranged for Sunday is announced as follows:
Instrumental selection.
Vocal duet with guitar accompaniment—Misses Mary Higginbotham and Thelma Campbell.
Male Sextette, "Oh Calvary" (Holton)—Messrs. Bolton, Foster, Harrington, Corley, Benson and Fronbarger, with violin accompaniment by Misses Helen Porter and Elizabeth Young.
Saxophone solo — By Miss Golda Hansard.
Contralto solo, "Grass and Roses" (Bartlett)—Mrs. Cobb, with violin obligato by Miss Elizabeth Young.
Male Sextette, "Come Where the Lilies Bloom" (Thompson)—Messrs.

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ASK PENALTY

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on account of any appropriation made, under this ordinance, after the amount appropriated for that purpose has been exhausted.
Other Angles Covered
"In case of any deficiency or falling short in the amount of estimated revenue available in the current expenses fund, all appropriations made by said ordinance from said fund shall be sealed and abated pro rata until the actual revenue will meet the expenditures; provided that interest on the public debt or other fixed legal liabilities and bond and improvement funds and other special funds shall not be sealed or abated.
"Neither the commission nor any other person shall have authority to create a floating indebtedness against the city in excess of the actual revenues of the city available for such purposes for said current year, but in such available revenue may be included all unpaid, due and delinquent taxes, and obligations of every kind, due to the city, which may be reasonably considered collectible, any indebtedness created in excess of such revenue shall be void, any public fund paid out in violation of this section, shall be recoverable from the officers authorizing and issuing the warrant therefor in addition to any fine or other penalty provided by law therefor.
Alleged No Emergency
"Plaintiffs represent to the court that there was no such contingency existed and such an emergency existed as was anticipated and contemplated by section 7 of article 5 of chapter 4 of the charter of the city of Port Arthur and that the diversion of the above amount from the contingent fund was in violation of the above provision of the city charter and that said act of the defendants and each of them was in violation of the city charter.
Victim of Beaumont Fire Shipped Home
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Dessie Rimage, 23, was laid in her casket here tonight, a life at her breast, her fire-scared body attuned in the Easter fire she planned to wear in late today.
The girl, wife of a Goose Creek oil field worker, was burned to death in a house fire which broke out on "Deep Crockett" burned to the ground. A smoldering cigarette is blamed for the fire.
Brief funeral services will be held Sunday for the girl. Then she will be taken to a waiting train which will speed her east to her parents in "happy N. Y." They are said to be wealthy and socially prominent.

W. J. Steen Dies

After Long Illness

The body of W. J. Steen, 55, who died Saturday at the home of his brother R. C. Steen, 2633 Seventh street, about 1:40 p. m. Saturday, will be shipped out of Beaumont on a train Sunday for Harrisburg, Texas, under the direction of J. E. Steen, brother of the deceased, and burial will be made there.
Steen had been in failing health for some time past, and for the last year resided in Port Arthur with his brother. He was a native of Wiley, Texas, formerly with the Texas Company here, and had two brothers, two brothers, W. Steen, of Corpus Christi, and R. E. Steen, of Memphis, Tenn.

Girl With Broken Neck Still Lives

ONE MOBILE CITY, Okla., April 19.—The doctor who operated on a 12-year-old girl, here tonight, said she was now recovering from her injuries.
Only this iron will of the little girl whose neck was broken in a school bus accident ten days ago, has saved what physicians believed was certain death.

Got the Real Thing

"For five long years I suffered with stomach trouble and what doctors called gall stone colic, and all said nothing but an operation would do me any good. A friend who had taken your medicine advised me to try it, and I found it to be the real thing. I feel better than I have in eight years and I am praising God for 'Haw's Wonderful Remedy.' It is a simple, harmless preparation that moves the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. At all druggists.—Adv.

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Port Neches And Nederland To Consider Joint Incorporation Of Two Towns

CONFERENCE TO BE HELD FRIDAY

Business Men Say They Should Pull Together

That a proposal of joint incorporation may be made the Nederland Chamber of Commerce by Port Neches, and that some opposition to the incorporation of Port Neches is anticipated has been revealed with the announcement that Nederland and Port Neches committee members will meet in joint session at the latter place Friday, April 25, to discuss the question.

In view of the mutual problems which confront both communities, and because of the proximity of the two places, it is the opinion of business men in both places that Nederland and Port Neches "can pull together."

Opposition to the incorporation of Port Neches on the ground that the revenue derived from the corporate community would be insufficient to meet the demands made upon a city, and on the grounds that more revenue would be lost from county support than could be gained by incorporation is said to have been expressed openly by a number of prominent Port Neches business men.

Great Britain is contemplating extensive electrification of its railroads to give work to the unemployed.

Meadowland Addition Is Being Improved

Meadowland, the latest addition to Port Neches, is being rapidly developed. It was learned yesterday, work of constructing and grading streets going rapidly ahead, while several recent purchasers in the site have signified their intentions of erecting residences at once.

PORT NECHES IN BUILDING PLAN

New \$100,000 School In Prospect

That Port Neches may have a new \$100,000 school building within the immediate future, and that complete plans for the structure may be placed before residents of the community at an early time was indicated during the past week when a representative of the H. H. Hunt company of Dallas visited the grounds at Port Neches "talking school building."

Hunt and company is constructing the new school at Nederland. Need of a new structure has been keenly felt for some time at Port Neches, the recent growth of the community almost demanding a new high school structure at once.

By light-years is meant the number of years required for light to travel from a star to us.

CONFER TODAY ON NEW BANK

Port Neches Offers to Take Surplus Stock

With the announcement made some time ago that a banking institution will be opened soon in Nederland, business men of that community yesterday were laying plans for the conference they are to have this afternoon with bankers from Beaumont, who have signified their willingness to promote the bank. F. A. Rensch, pharmacist of Nederland, said Saturday afternoon that "we are positive of the support of Beaumont interests in backing us."

Stock in the proposed bank will be owned by Nederland men, if present plans are carried out; Port Neches residents have already signified their willingness to take any surplus stock offered on the market.

The proposed bank is being fostered by the Chamber of Commerce and similar organizations at Nederland, it is understood.

U. S. Gives Recognition To Greek Republic

ATHENS, April 19.—The American Charge d'affaires today recognized in writing the new republic of Greece. The Belgian minister took similar action.

Knights of Columbus To Attend Mass

Members of the local council Knights of Columbus will attend mass in a body this morning at 7 o'clock at St. Mary's Catholic church. Three masses will be said tomorrow by Rev. Father Gratton, the first mass at 7 o'clock, 8:30 and 10 o'clock.

PORT ARTHUR AUTO TOURIST CAMP OPENS

Down in Port Neches, the city of Port Arthur is host to tourists. The city's park property was officially opened to tourists on the first of the present month and since that time a number of persons have utilized the grounds for camping purposes. At present, four different parties are reported to be camped there.

SENATE WARNS PRES. COOLIDGE

Tells Him to Sign Bonus Or Be Overridden

BY FRAZER EDWARDS
United Press Staff Correspondent
WASHINGTON, April 19.—President Coolidge must sign the soldier insurance bill or run the risk of having his own friends pass it over his veto.

Watson Sees Notice
That, in substance, was the ultimatum served on the president tonight by Senator Watson, Indiana, a staunch administration supporter, who frequently speaks for the White House. It was delivered during the senate

debate on the bonus bill today while democratic leader Robinson sought vainly to put "thumb screws" on republican leaders to learn the president's attitude on the measure.

Senators Warn Him
While Watson disclaimed any knowledge of the president's views, he said that Mr. Coolidge had been warned by a number of republican senators that they would vote to override his veto of the insurance plan, although they would support his opposition to the cash option feature, substitute offered by democrats.

As a result of the day's developments the passage of the insurance plan early next week seemed sure. Senator Curtis, Kansas, in charge of the measure, said tonight that a vote may be reached Monday. Advocates of the measure claimed they will not be more than a dozen votes in opposition to it.

DIGNITY HASN'T AFFECTED HIM

Magnus Johnson Keeps His Good Fellowship

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Senatorial dignity and exclusiveness have not yet laid low the native good-fellowship and camaraderie of Magnus Johnson of Minnesota.

One of the means by which visitors to the capital are made aware of the importance and awareness of senators are the private elevators, duly labeled: "For Senators Only." Of course a senator may take a guest with him in a private lift, but the rank and file must crowd into the common "Public" elevators even though the senatorial cars be running

empty.
The other day Magnus shared in the basement of the capital with the senate subway just as a party of eighteen lined up in front of the door to the "Public" elevator. The car "For Senators Only" was standing empty. The Minnesota senator stepped in and then issued a blanket invitation for the waiting party to join him.

Thrilling at the chance to ride up in the private elevator with a real senator, no second bidding was needed. They clambered in, jamming the car to the door. As the car started up, the bumper for the main floor sounded. There stood three or four other senators, all awaiting the private senatorial conveyance.

But they had to wait. There was no room for them. The look on their faces, as the car "For Senators Only" jammed full of common folks, passed them by, was one of amazement, incredulity and injured dignity. And if Johnson's ears didn't burn, it was because the old sage failed to work!

Only Six More Days to Go TRADES and BARGAIN DAYS

The first four days of Port Arthur's Trades and Bargain Days have been more than gratifying to the Port Arthur merchants. It proves the public's faith in Port Arthur and her merchants, when they offer real values and it proves that Port Arthur merchants are co-operating with the buying public to make Port Arthur a real shopping center.

Thousands of People Have Thronged the Stores of Port Arthur

Yes thousands of people have thronged Port Arthur stores the past four days and thousands and thousands more will come to Port Arthur stores this week. There are only six days remaining, six days full of opportunity if you are contemplating the purchase of anything—for the very line of merchandise is represented, in this gala affair to give the

Biggest Bargains Ever Offered

Yes the merchants have offered wonderful values—and are still offering them. There are hundreds of them advertised in today's paper and they will continue to be advertised throughout the entire week. Don't forget that this is your most exceptional opportunity and there remain only six more days. Too, tickets will be given, good on all prizes with every dollar purchase or dollar paid on account this week.

Ask For Your Tickets

The Following Merchants Are Co-operating To Make This the Biggest Week in History

B & F Cash Grocery
Dickman's
Holton Theatres
The Vogue
W. P. McFarland
F. W. Woolworth
First National Bank
Haber's, Inc.
Model Store
City Bakery
The Hodges Company
The Star Store
J. Reich
L. C. Cormier & Co., Eclipse Market
No. 1
H. Smith (P. A. Cash Grocery)
Scott-Walker Furniture Co.
Goldberg's
Griffing Nursery
Federal Bakery
Trust Studio
Harry J. May & Co.
Home Laundry
Deuster's Department Store
Vaughan-Pace Furniture Co.
McMullen & Glass
Hart Drug Co.
S. H. Wellborn
Kidd-Russ Co.
Keith Shoe Co.
C. T. Baker Co.
G. W. Imhoff Co.
E. P. Baker
Andrus-Parks

Bert Hughes Tire Co.
Biley Plumbing Co.
Electric Supply
Reos & Forst
K. C. Rogers Music Co.
Smart Shop
J. Imhoff & Son
E. B. Sutherland
The Hub Clothing
Sam Segal
Dover's, Inc.
Richard & Myers
Leader Clothing
Crowell Gifford
Kahn Shoe Co.
Austin Avenue Tire Co.
Phoenix Furniture Co.
City Drug Store
P. A. Sport Store
Electric Shop
Service Auto Laundry
Jacob & Lipoff
Ader & Paschal
Globe Tailoring Co.
Merchants National Bank
Effenberger, Jeweler
Dismore Plumbing
Ross Zeno
Peoples Gas Company
Jones-Orl Furniture Co.
M. S. Warren
Kleas Drug Co.
Perkins Cycle Co.
F. A. Templeman

Corner Drug Co.
Culp Tailoring Co.
Miller's Bicycle Shop
Wellers Department Store
Plettman Grocery Co.
Sam Weinstein
Hampton Hardware Co.
Hani
J. E. Taylor
A. Blumend—121 Houston Ave.
E. Saffir
Sanderful & Ericson
Federal Grocery and Market
Dorchester's
Quality Drug Co.
Model Drug Store
Togery Shop
Bluestein's
The Man's Shop
Auer & Searle
College Pharmacy
John R. Adams
Lone Star Garage
Linn Motor Company
Jim Connors
Electric Specialty Shop
Builders Lumber Co.
F. J. Darby
Service Grocery Co.
Francis E. Smith
Martin Art Store
Ben Horwitz
Piggy-Waritz
P. A. Ico Co.
Gulf Furniture Co.

Important Features About Trades Week

Here is important information that everyone should know about the Ten Trades and Bargain Days. Read it over carefully in order that there will not be any confusion.

The Prizes

Here is a list of the prizes that are going to be given away on Saturday, April 26th, at 4 p. m.
One Ford Touring Car.
Two \$100 Prizes.
Two \$50 Prizes.
Four \$25 Prizes.
Six \$10 Prizes.

The Free Tickets

Each firm participating in the trades week will have a large window card indicating to the public just where numbered tickets will be found. These tickets will be given during trades week with each dollar cash purchase or with every dollar paid on account.

Fares Refunded

Your interurban, bus, or railroad fare will be refunded within a radius of 25 miles on the following conditions: A minimum purchase of \$15 from any individual firm, provided you present a receipt for fare either from Bus company, Traction company or Railroad company.

Feature Events

All merchants participating in trades week will have special feature sales and bargains throughout. They will be displayed in the windows and advertised in the News. They will be separate from the opening day specials advertised in the following four pages.

The Prizes Will Be Given Away Saturday, April 26th, 4 p. m.

At 4 p. m., April 26 in front of the Elks theatre, the prizes will be given away. The person winning must be present with the lucky ticket. This applies not only to the Ford but also to the cash prizes that are offered.

Ask For Your Tickets

Goldberg's SALE OF READY-TO-WEAR CONTINUES

There were many women who appreciate value and came to Goldberg's last Saturday. There will be many more who will come here tomorrow and make purchases. Here are prices that ordinarily come in July.

Here is our feature value in dresses for Monday. A wonderful collection that have been formerly selling for \$29.50. Dresses that are chuck full of real good style, in all the new colors and materials. They are featured for

A Sale of \$29.50 Dresses

\$19.75

Other Dresses on Sale

\$12.50 and \$29.50 dresses priced at	\$25.75	\$47.50 and \$49.50 dresses priced at	\$34.85
\$12.50 and \$47.50 dresses priced at	\$29.75	\$57.50 and \$59.50 dresses priced at	\$39.95
\$62.50 and \$69.50 dresses priced at	\$49.95		



Our Entire Stock of Suits

1-3 Off

Yes this includes our entire stock of new spring suits. Every suit in the great Goldberg's collection is included. Not one reserved. Clever boyish models, in twills, mixtures, serges, and others are all reduced one-third. Now is the time to select your suit for now and months to come.

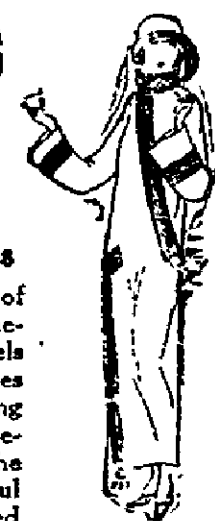


On All Skirts

1/4 Off

On All Coats and Spring Capes

Our entire stock of coats is now reduced one-fourth. Beautiful models—fashion's latest dictates in any number of spring styles and all new materials are included in the lot. All of our beautiful spring capes are included too.



All Early Spring Millinery Reduced

This includes our entire stock of early spring millinery in all of fashion's latest dictates. Most all colors and an extra large selection from which to choose.

25%

Goldberg's
WHERE STYLE BEGINS

Port Arthur Boy To Win Appointment To International Boy Scout Jamboree

HOUSTON EXAMS DISPENSED WITH

Only Local Tests-Will Be Necessary

The regional office has advised the Port Arthur Boy Scout Honor Council that a boy will be picked from this city to attend the international jamboree in Copenhagen to be held in August and that an elimination contest in Houston would not be necessary due to the shortage or lack of applicants from all over the United States. It is urged by local officials that those who desire to enter for the elimination contest will do so during this week as the contest will be held at an early date. Application and reservation has been made for Port Arthur's representative.

"LONE STAR" SEASCOUTS

The Seascouts met at the hut last Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. A game of "Shimmy" was played before the meeting in order that we might "warm up" and it proved to be a hummer one. The meeting was called to order by "Dimples" Liffingwell. The Scout oath was said by all. Roll call was taken and the dues collected. Registration fees were paid. A number of our members are delinquent with their registration fees and it is expected that they will make over effort to pay them in the course of the two more meetings or run the chances of being dropped from the roll. The business meeting was short. Work scheduled for Saturday was brought to the attention of those present. Word was received that the work scheduled for this day was in course of completion at an early hour Saturday.

The good ship "Porpoise" has been pulled up on the skidway and is being prepared for the summer season. It is possible another trip will be made in her to Lake Charles, Morgan City and maybe to New Orleans in the late summer.

We felt more than proud to learn that we won third prize in the Clean-up Week campaign and wish to thank the Lions club for their check.

HARVEY WINGLER, Acting Yeoman.

TROOP 4

We met in Mr. Smith's office Friday evening at 5:30 p. m. We were informed by Mr. Smith that we had won first prize in the Clean-up Week campaign backed by the Lions club and can find many uses for the \$20. for which we thank them kindly.

Some of the boys have evidently forgotten that we go swimming every Friday after school hours and we would like to see more turn out and enjoy the benefits of the pool.

The meeting next Friday night is called for 7 p. m. This is to be an important meeting as everyone please to their best to be at Mr. Smith's office at this hour.

PLACIDA WALKER, Scribe.

TROOP 11

Our meeting was opened at 7:30 p. m. Roll was called and sixteen answered to the calling of their names.

Tests were taken up and two boys were awarded their Tenderfoot badges. They were D. W. Hildet and George Ames.

We went on a fishing trip last Saturday to Neches Junction. Everybody met at Woodworth boulevard and Proctor. Each fellow brought his own lunch. A good time was had by all.

One new member and two visitors attended our last meeting. Joseph Walker was the new member and we welcome him into our troop. We closed our meeting by saying the Scout oath.

THERON MCCORMIER, Scribe.

TROOP 7

We held our meeting at the Seascout hut last Friday night. The scoutmaster had an appointment, so we held our meeting under the supervision of Robert Parlay, our senior patrol leader.

We had a rather roast for about a half hour (but the women did not last that long) and then played games. "Steal the Flag" is about the best liked of all the games we play.

The meeting was closed about 9:30 p. m.

PAUL BUTTON, Scribe.

BICYCLE PATROL

Tuesday night we held our regular weekly meeting. Seven were present.

After talking over the thousand mile hike which always causes a hot debate Scoutmaster Despit, present our First Aid pamphlets for the Scouts have decided to take up this merit badge instead of signalling which had been decided upon at last meeting. Each scout was assigned a certain part which he is to memorize and those who have parts to demonstrate will practice on their exercises also.

When all parts had been assigned and everyone settled down, Scoutmaster Despit said he had good news for us. This good news was that the Campfire Girls had invited every scout in the patrol to an Easter hunt and as the scouts were planning an Easter morning breakfast across the canal this will be combined with the Easter hunt. Each scout is required to bring a genuine amount of clothes which will be cooked on the beach.

Sunday the baseball team was to have played at Port Neches, but as they did not appear, a scrap team of some of the town teams of Port Neches were gotten up and the Bicycle team played them. The game was called in the seventh inning on account of rain with the score standing at 7 to 5. The team made a good standing, as they played a team beyond their scope. Future games are hoped for and any troop

Campsite Name Contest Continues

Scout Headquarters still request names be sent in for the summer camp. To date very few have been received. Let every boy get busy and think of a name. The contest closes at 5 p. m. next Wednesday evening. Two weeks in camp without cost is the prize offered the boy giving the best name.

who desires a name will please write or see Captain Walton Dumesnil, Sunday after next the Port Neches team will come to Port Arthur to play a game. The field for the game has not been decided upon, but it is understood that the city diamond will be used.

LEONARD STANBURY, Scribe.

TROOP 15

Troop 15 held its weekly meeting Wednesday night. The Scout oath was said in unison. Roll was called, dues collected and tests passed. Twelve members were present. You may think this is a small troop, but the other troops, although they hate to admit it, know we are here with the goods. When there is anything extra good going on, Troop 15 is present 100 per cent strong with its banner flying high. We do not mean to brag or exaggerate, but just wish us closely.

We have been invited to put on the Investiture ceremony before the Scoutmasters Training school in Port Neches Monday night. Members of the troop will meet at the hall Sunday afternoon at 1 p. m. Mr. Babin, who is interested in putting Troop 15 across, was present and gave us a talk on "sticking together," which proved very interesting.

Inspection was won by Oswald Landry, Nolan Landry, Ray Billeaud, Vernon Harrod, Ashton Ritchie, Herman Carrier and George Bordonoro. Games were played and "Potion" seemed to be the most popular.

The meeting proved to be a very interesting one and closed with the Pledge of Allegiance.

ALLIE BERTRAND, Scribe.

CREW 5, SEASCOUTS

Crew 5 met at the hut Friday night with a record attendance, the whole crew being present. As Troop 7 were having their meeting in the hut we decided to go out and play "Shimmy." A few games were played. After Troop 7 finished their business meeting and went off for their wicker roast, we started our meeting. Roll was called and the Scout oath was given in unison. We agreed to use the troop funds for purchasing uniforms, the only request made that each boy chip in \$1 in order that every member could be outfitted. After the business meeting more games were played.

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VET SONS' HEAD TO BE FEASTED

Lon A. Smith Coming Here On Monday

Port Arthur Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans Monday night will entertain their state commander, Lon A. Smith, in a dinner at Fallers'.

Smith yesterday wired acceptance to Judge A. W. Dwyer of the local camp and invitations have been mailed out to members of the Sons of Confederate organizations in both Beaumont and Port Arthur. Reservations have been made for a large attendance at the dinner, Elgin H. Blalock, chief of staff of the Texas division.

Second Raid Made On Stilwell House

For the second time in the last three days, police and constable's officers raided a house on Stilwell boulevard and arrested three persons, lodging various charges against the three.

Following a raid yesterday afternoon by Chief Covington and Constable H. E. Baker, two women and a man were arrested. All gave bond for their appearance before a justice of the peace.

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HOUSTON MAN PLEADS TO COUNTERFEITING

By United Press. HOUSTON, Texas, April 19.—John H. Patrick today entered a general plea of guilty in federal court here to two charges of possessing, concealing and attempting to sell forged and counterfeit obligations of the United States government.

A. L. JOHNSON HELD ON LIQUOR CHARGE

A. L. Johnson yesterday afternoon was arrested when police allege they raided his place of business and confiscated a small quantity of liquor. With Johnson two negroes were arrested, being booked on charges of investigation.

By United Press. AUSTIN, Texas, April 19.—Eight persons bitten by a mad dog at Pittsburg, Texas, arrived today at the State Pasteur Institute to take preventive treatment against rabies.

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Go To Church On Easter



Sunday School Children Given Easter Program

The Sunday school children of the Church of the Nazarene, corner Twelfth and Waco avenue, will present the following Easter program Sunday evening at 6 o'clock at the church under the direction of Mrs. L. N. Mackey, the program preceding the closing service of the revival, which begins at 7:15 o'clock.

Song: "He Lives," by Congregation.

Prayer: B. Malone.

Scripture reading—Rev. Hampton, Matt. 28:1-7.

Bunny—Gloria Mae Mackey.

"Easter Eggs"—Maybell Whitington.

"Little Lily"—Thelma Olive.

"Days of Days"—Olivia Mae Mackey.

"Christmas and Easter"—Vasti Nance and Annie Muri Hebert.

Song—Eardine and Imogene Dawson.

"Hallelujah Christ a King"—Rosa Collet.

"All Little Ones Love Easter"—Vasti Nance.

"Easter Morning"—Beatrice Myers.

"A Little Brown Hail"—Grace Lacker.

Song—Pearl Hebert, Myrtle Malone, Fay Lacker, Alice Sanders.

"The Tisen Lull"—Mildred Nance.

"Two Gardens"—Fay Lacker.

"The Sermon of the Lily"—Alice Sanders.

"Easter Morning"—Myrtle Malone and Lorain Mackey.

"Gifts of Spring Time"—Annie Lone Smith.

"Christ is Risen"—Houston Allen.

"Helped by Easter"—Pearl Hebert.

"Taken Down from the Cross"—Lorain Mackey.

Song—Messrs. Wilkins, Jackson, Dawson, Merwin.

"Resurrection"—Aquila Malone and Maggie O'Neal.

"Easter Tide"—Bord Shannon.

"There is a Day of Coming Glory"—Janis Davis, Vera Goodwin, Alice Sanders, Pearl Hebert.

"Who will tell the Easter Story?"—Ethel James.

"Easter Bells"—Janis Davis.

Dialogue: "He Even Lived Within the Lily, Mr. and Mrs. Webster, Little Girl"—Lorain Mackey, Bessie Shannon, Bessie Clark.

Prayer—Ethel James.

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First Christian Church To Give Radio Program At Church on Thursday

C. N. Bier, choir director of the First Christian church, assisted by the choir, will give a radio concert to the public in the auditorium of the First Christian church Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, introducing to Port Arthur several out-of-town artists, most of whom are members of the Beaumont Musical Society, and talented singers of several Beaumont and Port Arthur church choirs.

The few secular numbers will appear first on the program, concluding with the sacred numbers and a full chorus anthem. The program is arranged to be announced by Rev. H. R. Yelderman, pastor, over the radio, will be as follows:

"America," first and last verses—Full Chorus.

Tenor solo: "In the Garden of My Heart"—James Baird, Beaumont.

Soprano solo: "The Last Rose of Summer"—Miss Thelma McClave, Beaumont.

Tenor solo: "Love's Old Sweet Song"—Bryan D. Beck, Beaumont.

Vocal duet: "Whispering Hope"—Misses Thelma Campbell and Mary Higginsbotham, Port Arthur. Hawaiian harp accompaniment.

Bass solo: "Rocked in the Cradle of the Deep"—George Kellar, Beaumont.

South Park College Quartet: "Gypsies Trail"—Messrs. Lammernack, Baird, Jenkins and Spencer of Beaumont.

Soprano solo: "O Divine Redeemer"—Mrs. Rupert Theobald, Port Arthur.

Vocal duet: "Hark, Hark, My Soul"—Misses Gladys Garrett and Wee Wee Griffin, Port Arthur.

Soprano solo: "The Lord Is My Light"—Miss McClave, Beaumont.

Mixed Quartet: Selected—Mrs. Surlock, Miss Jeanne McGalloway, Jenkins and Sander, Beaumont.

Anthem: "Send Out Thy Light"—Full chorus, directed by C. N. Bier.

In addition to those appearing on the program, the following will be heard in the chorus: Sopranos: Messdames Long, Elberton, Martin, Griffin, House, Bruton, Stoneburner, and Davis; Misses Smith, Stanford, Boutwell, Chaffin, Whitman, McElroy and Griffin; altos: Mottie, Metz, Johnson, Van Cortlandt, Garrett, LaRose, Gorman, Cromer, and Amburn; tenors and basses: Baxter, Kelley, Walker, Frederick, Holmes, Palmer, Jones, Loden, Repschlaeger, Sanford, Anthis, White, and Archer.

Violinists will be Misses McKinner and Sudlerlin, and accompanists will be Mrs. Claude H. Holmes and C. N. Bier, of Port Arthur; and Miss Margaret London and Mrs. Fred Pate of Beaumont.

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First Baptist Choir To Sing Cantata At Church This Evening

Among the cantatas being rendered at Port Arthur churches this evening is the Easter cantata, "The Risen King," by Schnecker, which will be sung by the choir at the First Baptist church under the direction of Mrs. E. H. McGuire, choir director.

E. H. McGuire, organist, will give the "Prelude for Easter" by Hosmer, which will precede the cantata, says Travis Lambert will sing the solo parts.

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The Editorial Mind

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Odds and Ends and Comments on Our Morning Mail

There are twenty-seven churches in Port Arthur. Unfortunately there are no available records of avowed church members.

Are you a church member? In America about 40 millions answer, yes. Sixty-two millions answer, no. Whether church members or not, all of us owe a tremendous debt to Christianity. It has brought more good into the world than all other religions combined, just as well as present. And nearly all the evil we have is due to failure to live up to Christian teachings.

For those in the north temperate zone Easter has the additional charm of being seasonable. It is an event in the history of Christianity it is the great day of hope, new life, the bursting forth of energy, the triumph of the spirit over the body. And so it is in the growing world of vegetation. Hundreds of flower gardens in Port Arthur today attest this. The two events this year seem especially synchronous to tell the story of the Resurrection and life ever lasting.

Why rabbits and eggs on Easter? You've asked yourself this question, probably, scores of times.

The association of rabbits with Easter dates from earliest times. It should be remembered that Easter, to the Christian, is the day of new birth. The rabbit, in the East, is associated with this festival from earliest times. It was natural for the imagination of man to link the two together and invent the story that the rabbits lay the Easter eggs.

Professor R. V. Magoffin states that excavations in Greece have disclosed that the ancient Greeks played chess, paraded and used dice. Little earthenware cups have been dug up which when emptied were found to contain two ivory dice and twenty-four glass counters, six of a color. On some Greek vases are painted pictures of warriors playing chess.

The Edwin Smith papyrus, the oldest medical book in the world, is in process of translation. This valuable document, now in the possession of the New York Historical Society, lay for ages in the coffin of an Egyptian physician. It contains prescriptions and clinical reports and also quotes from a still older book, "The Book of Sargis and External Medicine."

Some of the prescriptions are veterinary. Among the ingredients mentioned are the rose, the lotus, scorpions, fox and some drugs used by pharmacists today, including rosin and iron.

Being in business for yourself is not all "cracked up to be." There are 1,425,000 stores in America. That's a store for every 76 people. With it isn't much in the way of customers. Of course, this includes all sorts of stores and a customer trades in various kinds of shops—food, clothing, books, etc. But even at that, the retail merchandise trade is very overworked, as a whole. It's a lucky procedure that feeds more than 60 or 75 families.

Out of what looks like profits at first glance, come rent, clerk hire, lighting, heating and other expenses. It's not all roses, trying to attend to our little wants.

FIRESIDE FUN

Yes, We Not!

A native teacher in Manila writes her resignation to the director of education as follows: Dear Sir—I have the honor to resign as my works are many and my salary is few. Besides which my supervising teacher makes many things to me to which I only reply "Oh, not! Oh, not! Very respectfully, Josefina." Boston Transcript.

Selecting Family Music
Mike: "Have you 'Kissed Me in the Trenches'?"
Music Clerk: "It just have been the man at the next counter. I've been here only a week."—Detroit News.

Sister's Feller Thinks
"Do you always think of me?"
"Well, not exactly always. But whenever I think of anything I think of you."—Kasper, Stockholm.

Says Ma to Pa
"I don't see why you are having so much trouble getting reliable servants."
"I'm not having any more trouble than the Washington government."—

Bobby Foster
"You know, Bobby, every thing we give to another will be returned to us twofold."
"Sure! I give the kid next door the measles and caught the mumps and whooping cough from him."—Detroit News.

In the Isle of Man and in Ireland herrings are sold by the mere, which contains 630 fish.

EASTER SPECIAL SERVICES TO BE HELD IN ALL CHURCHES IN PORT ARTHUR

Easter, anniversary of the great promise, is with the world today. Port Arthur churches fling wide their doors.

While the "go to church Sunday" slogan is appropriate at all times, today it is one of special significance. Nineteen hundred and more years ago the Son of God, dead, laid tenderly in a crude mausoleum of stone, redeemed his promise to the world. He rose from the grave, uttered a great pledge destined to live, like himself, through the ages, and his earthly mission ended, went to his Father's house.

All Port Arthur churches today offer special services. In the worries and discouragements of every-day affairs these will be inspirational.

To the thoughtful the day is without parallel. It is to them proof unbounded of life eternal, of hope inexhaustible. With the sublime figure of the Resurrection before us no man need despair. It strikes off the despondency of the believer and makes him view future with a confidence rooted in his faith and guaranteed by the event which gave to the world a new chart of life. All of us should go to church today.

One can condone the seeming fanaticism of the devotees of the Easter bonnet and other finery since back of it unconsciously is the impulse to exult in the advent of a new order. Obtrusion and selfishness and feverish materialism are not to be sanctioned at the expense of the heart and soul of humanity, but as a symbol of the changed order it is not without its significance.

In the humblest though wonderful forms of life Easter has its symbol. The ugly cocoon breaks and the winged butterfly bursts forth. Too, the morning sun breaks through the mists of night and in the mind doubts are disintegrated by truths. The Easter promise is the greatest made mankind.

LUTHER BURBANK

Luther Burbank has offered his \$100,000 creation gardens to California for educational and scientific purposes. Luther Burbank had an offer of \$100,000 for the gardens but he said commercial profits interested him less than the public benefit to be gained by carrying on the gardens on a scientific basis as a unit of the higher educational system of California.

This plant wizard of the Golden Coast has done more for mankind than all the bonanza kings of the west and their fabulous fortunes combined. He works for humanity. Mammon never lured him. His gardens are the wonder of the world and now he is going to give them to his adopted state.

This should give him a ten mile editorial mention on the editorial page of some of the great newspapers of America. He isn't a grafter, he hasn't been investigated, he is not in politics, he is not money mad and for these and sundry other reasons widespread publicity will not be his while he remains in this vale of tears.

After he has passed on it will be different. Then there will be glowing pages devoted to his achievement, his scientific marvels and the vast good he has accomplished for his fellows.

HE LOVES FINE FURNITURE

Albert B. Fall, now of Three Rivers, New Mexico, took away with him his office furniture when he deserted Washington for the far west. It was a Jacobean suit for which Fall paid the government \$231.25. Franklin E. Lane paid \$800 for the suite but its real value was between \$250 and \$3,000. Lane was able to buy it for \$800 through the rare good fortune of finding a furniture dealer who was willing to have it for the amount available out of the appropriation for furnishing the new Interior Department building. It was one of the most sumptuous in any federal office.

What became of the Doherty sack? It should be considered a historic relic of these revolutionary days. According to evidence to be found in the record \$100,000 in currency that Doherty looted Fall was carried in this sack and made glad the man from Three Rivers.

Of course it was a loan, or a gift and had nothing to do with oil. In the good old days a Jacobean suite of furniture on a New Mexican Ranch would have created a riot but gone are the good old days.

MAN FROM MISSOURI

Missouri will send John Cosgrove to the Madison Square Garden convention as a district delegate. He was a member of Congress forty years ago, he has never scratched a democratic ticket, he is eighty-three and he is known to his fellow Missourians as one of the bitterest haters of Senator James A. Reed to be found in the ranks of the Wilson democracy. John Cosgrove was a voter when the republican party was born. He may have to see another democrat at the head of the Federal Government.

WEALTH OF THE WORLD

Uncle Sam is worth \$220,503,862,000. In ten years his national wealth has increased 72.7 per cent. Per capita wealth increased from \$1,250 in 1912 to \$2,918 in 1922, or an increase of 49.6 per cent. It goes without saying that the American nation is the richest in the world, that it is the richest that has ever existed since time began and that Americans who growl at conditions should be dunked in the nearest pond.

Of course there are economists who say that the wealth of the nation is drifting into the hands of the few but there is no direct evidence to sustain their contention.

America leads the world in steel production and the American mills, having invaded Europe, are driving British and French and German competitors to the wall. America leads the world in the motor vehicle industry and cars of American make are sold wherever gasoline can be bought. America leads the world in the output of crude petroleum as well as the output of the products of petroleum.

America has cornered two thirds of the gold of the world but all the gold in the world would be useless if the republic was without foreign commerce.

According to the financiers, the bonus for the former service men will cost the tax payers three billion dollars principal with an added sum of one billion five hundred million dollars as interest but a nation reputed to be worth upwards of three hundred and twenty one billion dollars should be able to worry along with war debt and bonus debt without feeling the fangs of the tax gatherer.

A MODEST HOOSIER

Col. Thomas Taggart of Indiana has declared that he will continue the movement for Senator Samuel M. Ralston for democratic standard bearer, although somewhat handicapped by the refusal of the senator to permit himself to be considered as a candidate. A modest man is Senator Ralston. He will not consider himself to be considered a candidate but he will accept the nomination if ravished with it by the convention.

THE RESURRECTION!



1. And when the Sabbath was past, Mary great, Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, had bought sweet spices, that they might come and anoint them.
2. And very early in the morning the first day of the week, they came unto the sepulchre at the rising of the sun.
3. And they said among themselves, Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the sepulchre?
4. And when they looked, they saw that the stone was rolled away; for it was very great.
5. And entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a long white garment, and they were affrighted.
6. And he saith unto them: Be not affrighted. Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth which was crucified; he is risen; he is not here; behold the place where they laid him.
7. But go your way, tell his disciples and Peter that he goeth before you into Galilee; there shall you see him as he saith unto you.—St. Mark, 16.

My Personal Reminiscences

By Former Senator Charles A. Culberson

Washington, April 19, 1924.

SHORT LETTERS

Twenty-first

In the first session of the Sixtieth Congress (1907), I introduced an amendment to the deficiency appropriation bill for the relief of the State of Texas on account of expenditures in the defense of the frontier; an amendment to the appropriations bill providing for the construction of a wall at Fort Frank, Texas; an amendment to the sundry civil appropriation bill providing for improvements at Fort Crockett, Texas; an amendment to the interstate commerce law suspending the commodity clause; a bill; an amendment to the bill to amend national banking laws; an amendment to the bill to codify the laws of the United States; a bill to amend the law relating to the liability of railroads to their employees.

I introduced a bill to erect a public building at Austin, Breckham, Bonham, Cameron, Chickasaw, Colville, Marshall, Nagleschoer, Navasota, New Braunfels, San Marcos, South Sulphur Springs, Turrell and Victoria; a bill to enlarge the public building at San Antonio; a bill to prevent gambling in cotton futures; a bill authorizing suspension of advances in railroad rates by the Interstate Commerce Commission; a bill to amend the law relative to deposits of public money in national banks; a bill to require national banks to keep on hand lawful money reserve; a bill to further protect deposits in national banks; a bill to require prompt transportation facilities by the railroads; a bill to permit traveling officers and men of the Texas Rangers in the protection of the frontier.

I introduced a resolution to print pamphlets relating to general officers of the United States army and general officers of the army of the Confederate states during the Civil War; a resolution directing the committee on finance to report to the Senate relative to the causes of the existing financial stringency; a resolution to print the opinion of Mr. Justice Holmes of the supreme court of the United States on selecting campaign contributions; a resolution of inquiry relative to the safety of school buildings in the District of Columbia; a resolution of inquiry relative to the action of the national banks in New York City during the 1907 money panic; a resolution to print the bill to defray the expenses of the Oklahoma Constitutional convention; a resolution to print the joint resolution providing for the election of senators by direct vote of the people; a resolution tendering the thanks of the Senate to the members of the Senate.

I spoke in the Senate on the following subjects during this session: American Sugar Refining Company; law for labor; legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill; District of Columbia appropriation bill; Lincoln memorial; president's salary; speaker's salary; president's message to the last test; exposition at Tokyo, Japan; and undersecretary of state.

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Easter Rain

By MARGARET PRESCOTT MONTAGUE

I think the sap of every spray
Leaps to a hidden tune today.
Hanging in music green and gay;
For love is falling in the rain.
Drenching the world to life again,
Splashing through the April air
Resurrection everywhere.

O, Marie of the humble shower!
Cupbearer to the smallest flower!
Stooping to pour the gift divine
In living streams of dewy wine
Where honeycreepers leap and twine:
Holding the cup of thirsty leaves
Of Hawthorn bush and dogwood trees,
While little birds in every lane
Sing "Love is falling in the rain!"

O, Mystery, to bend so low
That in a raindrop You might go!
O, Love, so intimate and small,
The breath, the bloom, the gift of all!
The Very Heart of every heart.
The end, the middle, and the start,
Above, below, within, without—
O, April blossoms laugh and shout!
And soul, sing forth a high refrain,
Lifting a mad and happy strain,
For Love is falling in the rain!

Coffee Sips

Among our most prominent missing people are several bank robbers.

Men who take things too seriously don't get away with them.

The first shock absorber was a pole-train.

Wasn't it spring when Rip Van Winkle went to sleep and slept 20 years?

Did news from Canada today, Ontario now attacked a train, so now her owner has steak daily.

The differences which cause most divorces are indifference.

Some of the new Easter hats look almost good enough to put a little cream and sugar on and eat.

Spring is housecleaning time. In Los Angeles, one woman cleaned out an entire house by selling "Fire."

They are having a hard time in Washington. No politician can make a good race if the wind is against him.

The Germans are exporting syn thetic cumphor now, but should save a little to smell after receiving the French denials.

Radio is dangerous. A man in New York who promised to a girl by radio was accepted immediately.

People who jump at conclusions often get the wrong ones.

There's always room at the top for the cream.

Nibbling

By HAL COCHRAN

No doubt it's true that also you have lost your appetite at this or that or else some other time. You find you fret over food you get; it doesn't look just right, and for a meal you wouldn't give a dime.

The panes of hunger are not there when it is time to eat, and nothing seems to strike your fancy right. The people at the lunch room have a line-up that's a treat, but often times you never eat a bite.

There's pleasure time, in dining, but the hunger must be there or else the pleasure doesn't mean a thing. You find yourself wishing "cause you really do not care for anything that waitress may bring.

Well, say, that isn't as it really ought to be. When hunger's shy you know there's something wrong, and here's the honest answer, if you leave that point to me: you've been nibbling in between meals all day long.

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50-50 With Hubby
"Going already, dear? Why R's awfully early."

"Yes, but I want to get there before my husband. It's my turn to scold tonight."—Boston Transcript.

The total output of coal for the world in 1922 was 1,522,000,000 short tons.

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ARTICLE No. 27

Just as a test of the difficulty of the correct bidding of the problem hands given in the preceding article, the writer submitted the list to a number of very good players and in no case did he find two players who would bid all the hands in the same way. A number would agree on the bidding of one hand but when it came to a comparison of ten hands, their views were widely divergent. It is this very diversity of opinion, however, that keeps Auction Bridge from being made the most popular card game in America. The flat mechanical acquiescence never has the appeal of a good argument or difference of opinion.

Hand No. 1
Clubs—A, 9, 4
Y: Clubs—A, 2
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9
Z: Spades—Q, 9, 6, 5, 3, 2

Score: Y-Z, a game in 2. Z bids one spade, A bids two clubs, and Y and B pass. Z bids two trumps. A bids three clubs and Y and B again pass. Z now bids three spades and A and Y pass. What should B say? B should double three spades. His partner has rebid his hand and thus indicated at least one outside trick. B's hand is worth at least four tricks with spades and trumps so that he should have no trouble in defeating the three spade bid.

Hand No. 2
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 3
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 4
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 5
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 6
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 7
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 8
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 9
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 10
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 11
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 12
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 13
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 14
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

Hand No. 15
Hearts—A, 8, 7, 6
Clubs—K, J, 9, 4
A: B: Diamonds—Q, 9, 2
Spades—Q, 9, 2

Score: Y-Z, game and 20; A-B, 6. Z bids one diamond. What should A say? A should bid one no-trump. He has a double stopper in the diamond suit and a good outside hand.

DEMS MAY PICK MAGICAL MAN

Durbin Expected to Be Made Manager

WASHINGTON, April 19.—A master of magic may be selected by the Democratic National Committee to manage its presidential campaign this year.

Meaning none other than W. W. Durbin, of Kenton, O., known among professional notecollectors and magicians as the greatest amateur sleight-of-hand artist in the world.

Durbin, who has monkeyed with magic since he was 14, has built a private theater at his home in which he has assembled the most complete collection of sorcerer's paraphernalia in existence. Here he has entertained all the great masters of legerdemain of the last generation—Keller, Herman, The Great Lafayette, Houdini, Thurston—doing all their own tricks and a lot they had never seen or heard of.

One of the easiest tricks Durbin does is that of levitation, in which a subject is made to rise in the air and remain suspended, apparently without material support. Maybe those who are backing him for the job of managing the Dem campaign this year believe him able, with magic or otherwise, to put the Republicans in the air—and keep them there.

The selection of a new Democratic chairman, of course, will not be made until after the party's candidate has been decided on. Theoretically, the nominee has the privilege of choosing the man to run his campaign.

Coriell Hall, the present chairman, came into his job after George White of Marietta, Ohio, who managed Cox's campaign in 1920, had resigned. Hall has had the thankless job of holding the organization together and directing the arrangements for the coming convention, in-

Hubby Wins Fight For Men's Rights

KERON, O., April 19.—John Brittain finally has won his fight for the protection of "man's inviolate rights."

No longer, now, can Wiley lock Hubby out when he comes home late.

The courts—here at least—won't stand for it.

John Brittain has won his fight, at last.

For two long years, John's wife, Minerva, maintained a "closed door policy" against him. She just wouldn't let him in.

John stood it a long time. Then his patience became exhausted.

And there were other men in the same boat, he knew.

So John, tired of being left out in the cold, sought the aid of Judge H. C. Spicer in the court of domestic relations.

Now, Minerva can't keep John out any more. The judge has issued an injunction restraining her from doing so.

But John, though he won considerable ground, didn't achieve complete victory. For when he moved in, Minerva and their eight children moved out.

The court may make me unlock the doors," says Mrs. Brittain, "but it can't force me to live with that man."

"He's a nuisance. We're better off without him."

FIRE DAMAGES THE LEVIATHAN

Flames Confined to Bridge And Upper Decks

SOUTHAMPTON, Eng., April 19.—Fire broke out on the giant American Leviathan in port here late today.

The flames were confined to the bridge and upper decks and the smoking saloons were damaged.

The fire lasted only about 30 minutes and damage, chiefly by water used in extinguishing the flames, was not excessive.

A majority of the passengers aboard the great liner had landed when the fire was discovered.

Incidentally getting the party out of debt and raising a fund for current campaign expenses. In case Hall should be supplanted following the convention—then watch out for Durbin and his bag of tricks!

Yardmasters Get Cut From 12 Hours to 9

CHICAGO, April 19.—Between 8,000 and 10,000 yardmasters in roads in all parts of the country will work nine hours a day instead of 12 under a decision handed down by Judge Clegg of the United States district court.

The decision was rendered in a test suit started by the government against the Santa Fe railroad. Suit was brought up under a provision of the Interstate Commerce commission ruling that railroad workers engaged in transmitting messages by wire or telephone regarding the running of trains shall not work more than nine hours a day.

MOSLAH SHRINERS TO HOLD CEREMONIAL

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 19.—Moslah Temple's spring ceremonial will be a reality. Friday, April 25, with the staging of the best and biggest ceremonial ever held in Fort Worth.

Paintings Can Be Seen

"These paintings are still to be distinctly seen," Dr. Leon said. "It is remarkable to note the fine state of preservation in which the colors have remained. The origin of the catacomb was due to Rome's law,

TEXAN VISITS OLD CATACOMBS

Discovers Antients Had Same Lives As Ours

AUSTIN, Texas, April 19.—Underground cities of the dead, or catacombs, nearly two thousand years old, portray the same life stories of love, pathos, sorrow, and joy as those that the people of today have, according to Dr. Harry Leon, instructor of classical languages at the University of Texas.

Dr. Leon has recently returned from two years of research in Rome and Italy, where he made a careful study of these catacombs.

He was the first American to explore in detail the Torlonia catacomb. This catacomb was accidentally unearthed when Prince Torlonia was building a stable on his private estate along the famous Nomentan Way during 1921. It is one of the largest Jewish catacombs that has been found. There are six Jewish catacombs in all, containing about 500 inscriptions.

These cities were built about 20 feet below the ground with carefully constructed streets. In the walls, on both sides compartments were cut out of the rock, in tiers, above each other, like the shelves of a bookcase. In these compartments the dead bodies were placed and then the openings were sealed with slabs of marble upon which inscriptions were made. The wealthier class had private family chambers, the walls of which were paintings in bright colors.

These inscriptions were written in Greek, or Latin, and sometimes a combination of both. Hebrew inscriptions were rarely found.

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in force at that time, which forbade the people from burying their dead in the city. The slabs which sealed the compartments have been partially broken away by robbers in later centuries. Skeletons and bones are scattered about everywhere. There are thousands of centipedes scurrying about within the catacombs. The atmosphere is close, damp and penetratingly chilly so that it is very uncomfortable to stay there more than a few hours at a time. It was difficult to get a guide to take us down, for they feared that the ceiling might cave in, as had happened in the catacomb at Monteverde. The exploration was a difficult and dangerous work."

Mothers Married Young

According to the inscriptions contained in the catacombs, the girls married at comparatively early ages. One describes a mother aged sixteen. Nearly all of them contain a round picture of the Minerva, Olive Branch, Hyacinth, or the words, "In peace may you sleep." A few portraying characteristic epitaphs of that time are as follows: "Here lies the Rabbi Julianus, who died at a ripe old age after living on good terms with everybody. In peace may he sleep."

"Flavia Maria to her incomparable husband, Aelius Primitivus, who died at the age of 28, with whom I lived sixteen years without a quarrel—to my darling husband."

These inscriptions were written in Greek, or Latin, and sometimes a combination of both. Hebrew inscriptions were rarely found.

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PREFERS SHOALS TO PRESIDENCY

Newton Baker Says Lease Is All Powerful

WASHINGTON, April 19.—Henry Ford's ambition to control Muscle Shoals is a more haunting one than any desire to become president of the United States, declares Newton D. Baker, former secretary of war, in opening what promises to be the final hard battle over the disposition of the great Alabama power project.

"If I were greedy for power over my fellowmen," says Baker, "I would rather control Muscle Shoals than to be continuously elected president of the United States."

This viewpoint is to be made the keynote in the coming fight in the Senate over ratification of the lease. The fight, as it is now shaping up, is no longer over whether to lease to Ford, to the Alabama Power Co., or to other private interests, but whether to lease at all.

In the debates, the whole conservation question may be thrown wide open again. One chief line of argument to be directed against the lease may be summarized as follows: Coal is becoming scarcer and scarcer. Before many years it will become necessary to use water power wherever possible to conserve coal. Our water powers are our greatest unexploited and inexhaustible, national asset.

Muscle Shoals is the greatest water power east of the Rockies. Whoever owns it will, to a large degree, own the entire southeastern United States industrially and commercially.

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With rubber soles and heel, per pair \$1.45

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Regular \$2.50 values \$1.75

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Black trimmed and rubber heels. Regular \$2.50 values \$1.65

One Table of Women's Pumps

Regular values up to \$10.00 \$2.95

One Table of Women's Odds and Ends \$1.95

One Lot of Women's White Washable Kid Pumps

Values up to \$10.00 \$4.95

One Lot of Felt and Satin Bed Room Slippers

\$1.50 values 95c

Women's Black High Top Shoes

With walking heels, \$7.50 to \$10.00 values \$3.95

Shoe Polish

500 boxes of polish, regular 15c values, at per box 5c

200 boxes of jet and black oil, regular 20c value, per box 10c

Children's Shoes

150 Pairs of Children's Tennis Shoes

69c

50 Pairs of Children's Gym Shoes

\$2.50 values 69c

50 Pairs of Children's High Top Shoes

\$1.45

50 Pairs of Boys' Ventilated Oxfords

Regular \$2.75 values \$1.65

60 Pair of Big Girls' White Kid Pumps

In sizes of 2 1-2 to 8, regular \$5.95 values \$3.45

60 Pair of Children's Keds

Regular \$1.75 values 95c

50 Pair of Misses' Sport Kids

Trimmed in black \$1.15

200 Pair of Misses' Dress Pumps

Sizes of 1 1-2 to 2, regular \$4.50 values reduced to \$3.45

250 Pair of Misses' Pumps

In sizes of 8 1-2 to 11, \$3.50 values \$2.80

Hosiery

Men's Sox, per pair 15c

Children's Sox, per pair 15c

Children's hose, regular \$2.50 values 25c

Women's hosiery, regular \$2.50 values \$1.45

Women's regular 50c garters 25c

Men's Shoes

One Table of Men's Oxfords

Values up to \$10.00 \$3.95

50 Pairs of Men's Leather House Shoes

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50 Pair of Men's Felt House Slippers

\$2.50 values \$1.25

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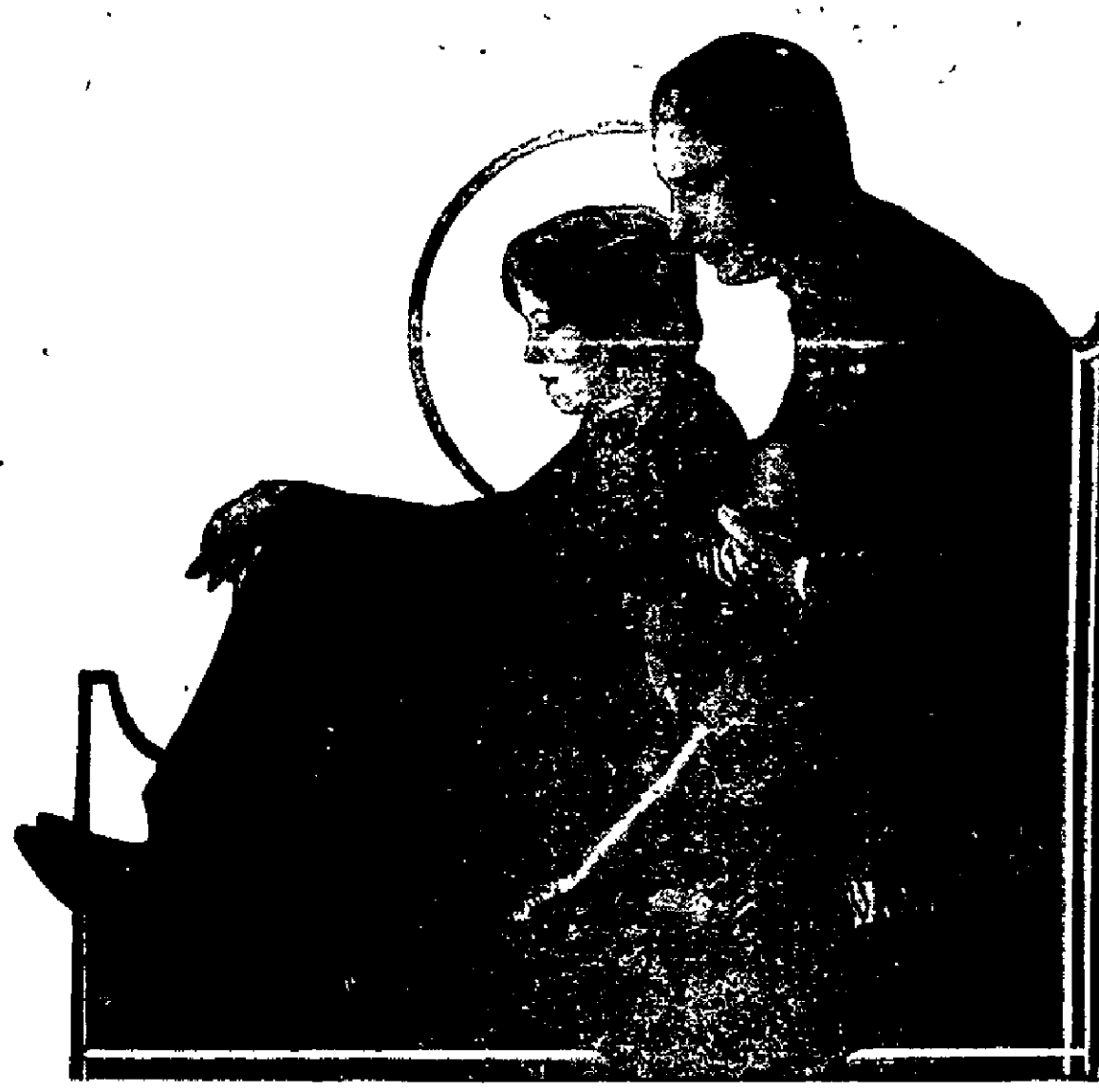
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Lillian Gish in 'The White Sister' Feature Film at Local Theatres This Week



Lillian Gish's Great Picture, "White Sister" Playing at the Peoples

"THE WHITE SISTER," the greatest triumph of Lillian Gish's career, will have its premiere at the Peoples theater today.

"The White Sister," which is an Inspiration production, released by Metro, has been acclaimed one of the most significant films ever made. The story was taken from the famous novel by E. M. Forster.

Rome, Naples, Sorrento, Tivoli, and even Mt. Vesuvius were some of the "locations" used, and the result, according to critics in the larger cities where the picture has played as a two-dollar attraction, is the most beautiful production yet made.

Boudes Miss Gish to interpret the thrilling story, the cast includes Ronald Colman, a newcomer to the screen who has scored a sensational success; J. Barney Sherry, a motion picture pioneer; Gail Kane, heroine of many Broadway successes, and a thousand others drawn from the ranks of European players.

"The White Sister" tells the story of Angel Charismatic, daughter of an Italian prince, who is made penniless because of an intrigue of her older sister. The only thing left to sustain her is her love for Captain Giovanni Severi, of the Italian army.

For a time she is happy, but he is called to Africa on a military expedition, and Angela is left to take up the life of a governess. Then she receives word that her lover, Angela is driven frantic, and in order to find some peace of mind and a definite place in life, she takes the vows of a nun.

Shortly after this Giovanni, who has merely been held prisoner by Arabs, escapes and returns to Home. How Sister Angela solves the problem of choosing between her great earthly love and her heavenly vows supplies the dramatic situation up to the powerful climax.

PEARCE THEATER CHANGES POLICY

Pictures Will Be Booked For Indefinite Runs

Falshing discontinuance of sandville at the Pearce theater, management of the Holton theaters announces that the theater will now book pictures for indefinite runs.

"There are so many good pictures this year that we found it necessary to change our policy at the Pearce," Manager Holton said Saturday.

Found for instance, that so many were unable to view "The Eagle's Claw" during the regular run of the picture that it was necessary to hold the picture over an additional day so that all might see the picture. This last week we found the same thing true of "Lilies of the Field" and so are holding it over this Sunday. Extraordinary pictures hereafter so that our patrons who find it inconvenient to attend during the regular run may yet see them.

Crash Through Roof Is Nearly Fatal

One of the nearest escapes from death in the adventurous life of Big Boy Williams occurred recently during the filming of his latest feature, a high-speed western drama.

In the course of the story Jessie Sherwood is kidnapped by "Zac" Wilson, a notorious bandit, who has tortured her father until the location of an immense fortune was disclosed. Taking the gold and the girl, the desperado headed for the border.

Big Boy Williams escapes from the mine where he was made a prisoner and starts after Wilson and his gang. He locates them, resting near an abandoned cabin, and climbing up a tree, drops through the roof of the

In The Pictures Today
(From Left to Right)
Conrad Nagel and Mae Busch in "Name the Man" at the Pearce Monday.
Viola Dana (above) in "The Social Code," at the Peoples Saturday.
Charles Jones (below) in "The Vagabond Trail," at the Strand Friday.
Lillian Gish and Ronald Colman in "The White Sister," at the Peoples today.
Cullen Landis in "Pioneer Trails," at the Strand today.

CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

PEOPLES
Sunday through Friday—Lillian Gish in "The White Sister." Also Fox News and Fun From the Press.
Saturday—Viola Dana in "The Social Code" and "Leather Pushers."
PEARCE
Sunday—"Lilies of the Field."
Monday through Saturday—"Name the Man" with Conrad Nagel. Also Fox Comedy.
STRAND
Sunday and Monday—"Pioneer Trails" and "Fighting Blood."
Tuesday through Thursday—Warren Kerrigan in "The Green Flame" and "Leather Pushers."
Friday and Saturday—"Vagabond Trail" with Charles Jones. Also Specialty Comedy.
GREEN TREE
Sunday—"Boy of Mine" and comedy.
Monday—"King Creek Law" and "Fast Express" No. 8.
Tuesday—"Pioneer Trails" and two-reel Western.

"Vagabond Trail" To Star Charles Jones

Sacrifice is the big test of character. That is the surest proof that Donagan, the hero here of "The Vagabond Trail," which opens at the Strand Friday night is a real man.

Charles Jones plays the leading role of Donagan and fits into it remarkably well. Marian Nixon is playing the opposite him again, and the supporting cast includes Charles Coleman, Frank Nelson, George Reed, L. C. Shumway, Virginia Warwick, George Bonamine and Harry Lonsdale.

At first it started out to be a story of bitter, hopeless, undying love—but of course it abated in time for the happy ending. Donagan, hitting the vagabond trail in the hope of finding his lost brother, meets, by chance, a girl named Lou Mason and loves her. She finds out, almost at once, that she is in love with somebody else, and because he cared enough he was willing to sacrifice his own happiness for hers. Not only that, but he determined to get her the man she wanted. In doing this, he brought much trouble upon himself. He came within an inch of losing his own life, but it was all worth while when Lou Mason sat in the sunlight streaming in through the hospital window and told him she loved him.

gatemann, used to hear "good morning, how are all the kids, your wife, your mother and your grandfather," rushed to her and said, "Why, Miss Busch, what's the matter, are you ill?"

Strand Theatre

TODAY AND TOMORROW

"PIONEER TRAILS"

The story of love's real sacrifices, of bitter struggles to win wealth and happiness, of battles with Indians, of scheming, evil men and virile youth!

Tues., Wed., Thurs. Fri., Sat., Sun.

THE RETURN of the Old Favorite

J. WARREN KERRIGAN

"THE EAGLE'S CLAW"

Buddy Messenger

"QUIT KIDDING"

TOMORROW AND TUESDAY

Franklyn Farnum

"BAFFLED"

A story of love, mystery and adventure.

CHARLES JONES

"THE VAGABOND TRAIL"

A story of adventure and romance finally leading to the girl he loved, and happiness.

"Pioneer Trails" True Picture of Life in West During Its Earlier Days

Historically correct are the settings used in "Pioneer Trails," a Vitaphone production, which is exhibited at the Strand theater today. For many weeks before the production was begun, the research department of Vitaphone was busy checking scenes in the film and obtaining information and descriptions of buildings and towns of the gold rush period of '49 for use in "Pioneer Trails."

The Burnt Root Saloon in the picture is an exact replica of the famous "El Dorado," a saloon and gambling den of the days of the early fifties. The bar and dance hall are exact copies of this famous place.

The street scenes were made in a town built to duplicate in every detail the manner of construction of those days. The main road with its pine board sidewalks, used many oldtimers to marvel at the exactness of reproduction.

David Smith, who directed "Pioneer Trails," insisted that every detail be correct before he began filming the picture. He required the town and sets to reflect the spirit and life of the west thoroughly, so that there would be no need for subtitles to carry over the unimpression of the early days which should be shown in actual scenes.

He spared no expense in the building of the city and furnishing of the interiors of the structures with furniture and knick-knacks in vogue during the period portrayed. Considerable difficulty was met in obtaining these relics of the past and many items used had to be purchased at almost prohibitive prices because of their rarity.

Franklyn Farnum is Star of Thriller

Franklyn Farnum, who's considered by many as the greatest of all the stars appearing in western features, will be the chief attraction at the Liberty theater in his latest picture, "Baffled."

"Baffled" is a thrilling western drama, with a new touch and a surprise twist, making it entirely different from the conventional "westerns," which are so often seen. It tells the story of a big-hearted rancher and his shy love for a girl who considers him a cattle-thief. Matters are complicated further through the girl's brother, who is a weakling; a tool in the hands of the real thief. Action and thrills come thick and fast and it is not until the final scenes that the audience really knows who the real villain is.

PEARCE THEATRE

CLOSING TODAY

"LILIES OF THE FIELD"

ONE WEEK STARTING MONDAY

NAME THE MAN!

WHAT COULD SHE DO?

Poor frightened girl, ignorant of life, unskilled in love. Is society justified in condemning her just because a cruel father locked her out?

Victor Seastrom's

Production of the Novel

The Master of Man, by Sir Hall Caine

featuring Conrad Nagel-Mae Busch-Patsy Ruth Miller

Hobart Bosworth-Aileen Pringle-Creighton Hale

COMING

THE GREAT WHITE WAY

TO WITNESS THE SILENT

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Fewer and Better

Viola Dana, star of Metro's "The Social Code," coming to the Peoples theater Saturday, gnashes her teeth every time she thinks of Henry Ford making a million cars a year.

"Why, it's ridiculous," she said recently. "What's the world to come to? I mean on Sundays. When I venture out nowadays on the only day I have free, what do I find? The entire output of Henry Ford's factory for one year just ahead of me on the highway."

"They are clamoring for fewer and better motion pictures. I want fewer and better cars out on Sundays. Then it would be possible to get in your car and really go somewhere; not merely more along with the traffic and pray that your car will be able to withstand the sudden thrusts that come over and anon from the overzealous driver in your rear."

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

"LILIES OF THE FIELD"

Playing Again

TODAY

Your last chance to see this fine picture.

PEARCE THEATRE

6 DAYS STARTING TODAY

Acclaimed by Press and Public

LILLIAN GISH

in the HENRY KING Production of

The WHITE SISTER

Vesuvius in actual eruption, a town flooded by water, a fight on the Algerian desert!

Lovely Miss Gish as a girl whose love was more eternal than her lover's passion.

You'll laugh, weep, and stand up and cheer over LILLIAN GISH in this immortal love story of love that was tried in the fires of life.

This entire ad and 20 cents will admit one adult to Peoples, Friday, 1 to 4 p. m., April 23.

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TWO TANKERS DUE SUNDAY

Foreign Vessels Are Among Those Moving Saturday

Two tankers of the Texas Company are expected to arrive in Port Arthur Sunday, and the Gulf States company's tanker, Gulfstate, was reported due late Saturday afternoon. The two vessels coming to the Texas Company Sunday were reported as the Hoonake and New York.

Miscellaneous cargo from Pacific coast ports to Port Arthur is due to reach here this week aboard the steamship Lake Gunn, according to word from Sydney C. Collin company, agents for the vessel. The Lake Gunn also will discharge part cargo at Orange after finishing here. Discharge of the French tanker Nausica from Beaumont for Rotterdam was listed among the outgoing ships here Saturday. The vessel stopped at Sabine for bunkers before going to sea. The Norwegian steamship Ekejo also was among the sailings from river points Saturday, clearing for Hamburg, via Norfolk for bunker coal.

Finishing loading part cargo at Orange, the steamship Southsea sailed for Beaumont Saturday, and after fitting cargo assembled there will sail for the West Indies. The schooner, Resolute, carrying a full cargo of lumber, sailed from Orange Friday.

ARRIVED APRIL 19
Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.
Esterstad (Nor), 846, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Standard Export company.
Gulfstate, 4432, from Bayonne to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

SAILED APRIL 19
Vessel, Flag, Tonnage, Agent, Location.
Sylvan Arrow, 4505, from Beaumont for New York, Magnolia company.
Ekejo (Nor), 2526, from Beaumont for Hamburg, via Norfolk, John E. Jones company.
Aylestone (Br), 2008, from Orange for Cardiff, Standard Export company.
Dungannon, 4185, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Texas Company.
Southsea, 1612, from Orange for Beaumont, Hall Shipping company.
Sch. Revolute, 610, from Orange for West Indies, Lutz-Moore lumber company.
Nausica (Fr), 2962, from Beaumont for Rotterdam, Sydney C. Collin company.
Suneloco, 2174, from Port Arthur for Port Newark, Transmarine corporation.

IN PORT ARTHUR
Coastwise Docks
Surico, 2174, Transmarine corporation.
Cotton Docks
Sch. Lady Antoinette (80), Esterstad (Nor), 846, Standard Export company.
Texas Company Docks
Sch. Simosa, 600, Texas Company.
Reaper, 5160, Texas Company.
Sch. Rosalie Belliere (Br), Texas Company.
West Corn, 3500, Hall Shipping company.
Gulf Company Docks
Liss (Nor), 3018, Sydney C. Collin company.
Gulf of Mexico 4567, Gulf company.

Ship No. 2
Drig. Geneva, 172, M. S., T. Ball
Bark S. G. Wilder, 550, laid up.

AT ORANGE
Sch. Geneva, 172, M. S., T. Ball
Bark S. G. Wilder, 550, laid up.

AT BEAUMONT
Sch. Mabel Gold, 610, Gulf Export company.
Southsea, 1612, Hall Shipping company.

BAROMETRIC READING
The corrected reading of the barometer (reduced to sea level) at the U. S. weather bureau office at Port Arthur, Texas, on Saturday, April 19, at 7 a. m. was 29.29 inches.

This closely approximates 706.5 millimeters.

TIDE REPORT
The tide in the ship canal at Port Arthur, Texas, Saturday, April 19 at 7 a. m. according to the reading of the U. S. engineer's gauge was 0.6 (six tenths) foot.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE
Radnor, due April 23 to Lykes-Spittovich.
Heffron, due April 25 to Lykes-Spittovich.
West Noris, due May 15 to Lykes-Spittovich.
Salman, due April 21 to Lykes-Spittovich.
Brindilla, due April 12 to Sydney C. Collin company, Texas Company.
Asmeric, due April 27, to Sydney C. Collin company, Texas Company.

Kerrigan Has Good Cast in New Film

The most pleasing feature of J. Warren Kerrigan's latest Bronson production, "The Green Flame," released by W. W. Hodkinson and coming Tuesday to the Strand theater, is the excellence of its casting. Kerrigan is supported in this picture by a group of the most talented and popular players on the screen.

The star himself cleverly portrays the role of "Frank Markham," an adventurous young detective. He is engaged by the head of a large jewelry concern to guard "The Green Flame," a priceless emerald which was at one time a Russian Crown jewel. A notorious clique of gem thieves launch a daring plot to secure the "Flame." Pretending to be a guileless country boy, Markham works himself into the confidence of the crooks and at the moment rounds up the entire gang. Fritz Brunette, the winning little lad who played opposite Kerrigan in "The Lord Loves the Irish," "Live Spade" and "\$50,000," is her usual charming self in the feminine lead. She takes the role of a resourceful young newspaperwoman who sets out to gather material for a story on valuable jewels and finds herself drawn into a bouding maze of adventure.

Speeding Greatest Accident Cause

By NEA Service
NEW YORK, April 19.—Statistics of Maryland and Massachusetts, where strict methods of traffic control are being employed, point to speeding as the major cause of automobile accidents.

According to a report made by George M. Graham of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce, 135 out of 522 traffic deaths in these two states were caused by speeding. Intoxication caused 10 per cent of the accidents.

As a result of the traffic deaths throughout the country, the N. A. C. C. which includes almost the entire auto industry, has pledged itself to help enforce laws for more rigid control of traffic violators.

"The automobile industry pledged its full support to every judge who imposes jail sentences for proved offenses, no matter how severe may be the penalty," Graham writes. "We believe in the suspension or the revocation of the license as a penalty."

"We propose that, in addition to all penalties now imposed, the violator should forfeit possession of his automobile for a period to be determined according to the seriousness of the offense."

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to thank our many friends for their kindness and acts of sympathy during the illness and death of our beloved mother, grandmother and sister, Mrs. G. S. Williams, who was with all of you in your hour of trouble. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Landry and Children, Mrs. A. Kreller.

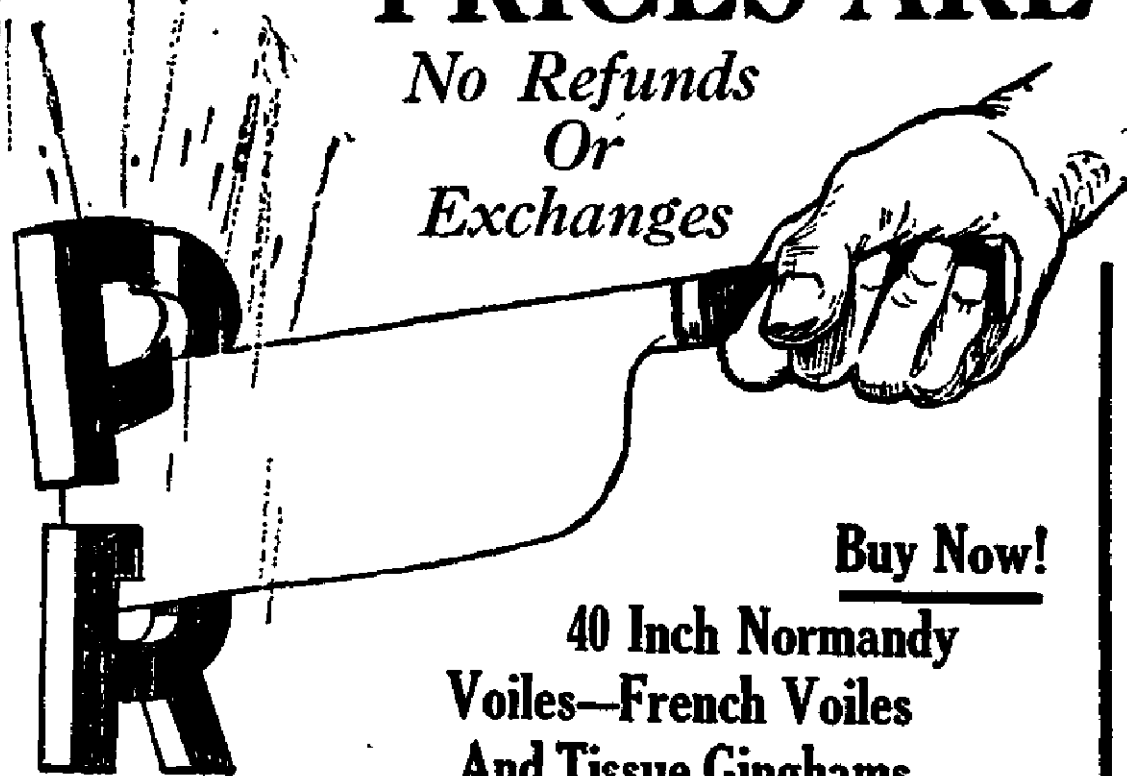
Poison Oak or Ivy is relieved quickly and permanently with Imperial Ceroma Remedy. All druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—Adv.



543 Procter—Port Arthur

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PRICES ARE CUT DOWN AGAIN
FOR LAST CALL!



Buy Now!

40 Inch Normandy
Voiles—French Voiles
And Tissue Gingham

Buy several dress patterns NOW. Wonderful designs to choose from. Get here early—bring your pocketbook and turn loose.

39c Yd.

"Goody Bye" Staples and Novelty Cotton Goods

36 INCH NAINSOOK—soft lustrous finish. Very fine 30c quality. Yard 16c
40 INCH ORGANDY—white and new shades. Permanent finish. 50c quality. Yard 29c
20 INCH PRINCESS LAWNS—fine sheer quality. All colors. 39c value. Yard 16c
36 INCH SATINE—lustrous quality. Figured. 98c quality. Yard 59c
36 INCH MATERIALS—36 inch white and colored flaxons and dimity. Yard 19c
36 INCH CRETONNES—in hand—some floral patterns. Yard 15c
41 DRAPERIES—36 inch. Handsome patterns. In lights and darks. Yard 49c
36c NURSES' LINEN—purest white. Fine quality. Yard 25c
36 inch, yard 25c
36 INCH PLISSE CREPES—hand-some kimono patterns. 50c quality. Yard 25c
36c CHARVEUSE—highly mercerized shadow stripe. All colors. 56 inch. Yard 49c

39c TURKISH TOWELS—heavy grade, plaid patterns. 16 by 36. Yard 33c
35c TURKISH TOWELS—heavy texture. 18 by 36, white, choice at 17c
BARBER TOWELS—red and blue bordered. Going out at choice. 5c
36 INCH CURTAIN SCRIMS—purest white, fine grade, going at yard 7c
36c PRINTED SILK CREPES—in wonderful summer patterns. Yard \$1.79
40c MADRAS—handsome shirting patterns. 36 inch, fast colors. Yard 25c
36c PRINTED VOILES—36 inches wide, newest printed patterns. Yard 19c
25c PERCALES—36 inches wide, fast colors, good patterns. Yard 14c
ALL THREADS, BUTTONS, LARNS AND NOTIONS OF ALL KINDS NOW HAL PRICE.

Saturday Is The LAST DAY

NOW

YOU MUST ACT THIS MINUTE
SALE CLOSES
SATURDAY APRIL 26th

Orders have been given that this stock be swept clean to the walls by Saturday night, April 26th. That drastic measure means that prices are cut down to lower levels than you ever expected. It means a week of the most rapid fire selling you have ever witnessed. It means a saving that economy wise will not pass up. It means what it says **SELL OUT BY SATURDAY NIGHT REGARDLESS.** Now people, it is up to you.

FIXTURES FOR SALE



\$1.25
Linen
79c

To \$3.00
SILKS

\$1.19 Yd.

10 Yards 30c
32 Inch
Dress Gingham
\$1.75

Fast color plaids—checks and solids. Gingham that wholesalers pay more than \$1.75 for. Come on—no limit—buy us out—we must leave.

36 inch heavy tan pongee
40 inch crepe de chine
36-40-in. silk printed crepes.
36 inch taffetas.
Get a lion's share. No limit—we close up when we sell out.

SALE ENDS SATURDAY NIGHT, APRIL 26th
DON'T DELAY! ACT RIGHT NOW

Which?



\$50 for Painting

\$500 for Repairing

A 1000 per cent Investment

That's the way to look at painting—as an investment, not an expense. Look around you at the houses going to rack and ruin. What is doing it? The weather. There is only one defense against weather and that is paint. But paint like weather, is of many kinds. Beware of the fair weather paint. It does not protect, it only deceives. Buy a paint that has proved its staying power.

SWP (Sherwin-Williams House Paint, Prepared) has a fifty-year record. Its ingredients are what success has proved to be most efficient in protecting property. It puts an armor between your buildings and the elements and also adds beauty and cleanliness.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS
JNO. R. ADAMS & COMPANY

Hardware Department Phone 88

To \$3.00
VALUES

89c

Women's gowns
Women's slips
Middy blouses
Children's dresses
Men's union suits
Etc., Etc.

To \$1.00
VALUES

25c

Baby blankets
Children's bloomers
Women's bloomers
Women's wash waists
Etc., Etc., Etc.

Remember
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26
ACT NOW

The Newest Dresses In A Grand Slaughter

To \$20 Silk Dresses

\$9.69

FLAT CREPES, SPORT AND NOVELTY SILK MATERIALS THAT WILL CHARM WOMEN AND MISSES. A VALUE SO RARE THAT YOU SHOULD BUY AT LEAST THREE OR FOUR DRESSES MONDAY. REMEMBER YOU MUST BUY NOW OR NEVER. THIS STOCK MUST BE SOLD BY SATURDAY NIGHT, APRIL 26TH. BRING WHAT IT WILL.

\$30 and \$35 Summer Silk Dresses now \$12.95

\$39.50 Silk Dresses

\$16.75



MEN'S SCOTTS
AND ACE HIGH
KHAKI PANTS

\$1.39

WOMEN'S
FELT
SLIPPERS

49c

WOMEN'S
\$2 CHIFFON
HOSE

79c

Women's \$1
Bungalow
Aprons

39¢

Full sized famous CHIC brand bungalow aprons. Developed of fast color percales with pocket and braid trimming. Hurry. They'll melt away at 39c.

Boy's \$6
and \$7
Suits

\$3.95

Boys' fine all wool suits of clothes for now—for next year. Come in—stock up. No limit. We mean business. We must sell this stock out.

To \$20 Garments

\$4.95

ASTRAKAN SPORT
JACQUETTES
WOMEN'S WINTER
COATS
WOMEN'S TRICHAM
DRESSES
WOMEN'S WOOL
DRESSES
WOMEN'S CAPES
ALL WOOL
FI ANNET
MIDDIES

\$2.49

The Place
THE FAIR

543 Procter
Sale Conducted by Merchant's Salvage & Sales Co.

Texas Co. Jefferson County's Largest Taxpayer, New Assessment Rolls Indicate

WIDE RANGE IN TAX AMOUNTS

14 Cents to \$350,000 Are Payments

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Practically all the assessing of county property has been completed. The amounts the county will receive range from \$350,000 down to 14 cents.

The assessor's office will receive remittances to April 31, but they also have made a house to house canvass and this work has been completed. They are now busy assembling all records.

Refineries Lead All
The three refineries, the Texas Co., Gulf and Magnolia pay the highest amount of taxes. The Texas lead with \$348,218.95, the Magnolia comes second with \$201,544.69, and the Gulf third with \$195,702.45.

On the other hand, many persons will pay less than \$1 for all the property they possess. There are a number of people in the county who own very small lots—valued at no more than \$10 in outlying districts, and there are many assessments on the oil for property, where the owner will have to give the county but 14 cents.

McFaddin Wealthiest Man
W. P. H. McFaddin owns more property than any other one man in the county. His taxes will total \$177,985.26. Captain W. C. Tyrell comes next with \$140,551.01. Although Captain Tyrell is known to own extensive tracts of land, many of his interests are outside the county and practically all the McFaddin land is in Jefferson county.

The railroads also turn over good-sized checks to the county. The Southern Pacific railroad will pay more than \$25,000 taxes. The Kansas City Southern pays \$11,348.75 and the Gulf Coast holdings owe them to pay more than \$10,000 taxes.

If all people obeyed the law to the exact letter, they would make returns on all property, including household furniture, etc., for more than \$250 which they possessed. However, according to deputies in the county tax assessor's office, it is a very unusual thing for an automobile owner, who does not own any other property to come in and render his car for assessment. It is still more unusual for a householder to come in and say he does not own any property—no car, but has more than \$250 worth of furniture and wants it assessed.

The few people who do make the assessments are always very conscientious or else as one deputy expressed it "they do not know any better."

The state tax is now 75 cents—as high as it can be by law. Records in the assessor's office show that there was a time in 1888 when the rate was only 10 cents. In 1913 it was 20 cents, then 16 cents for a time and for some unaccountable reason jumped up to 50 cents in the year of 1914. It fell in 1915. The school tax was in effect first in 1914.

Wm. Schmidt Case Reversed on Appeal

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Deputy District Clerk Joe Cottam received a mandate from the court of criminal appeals Saturday morning reversing the case of William Schmidt and providing for a new trial.

Schmidt was tried here and given a term of three years on a charge of manufacturing of intoxicating liquor. According to evidence introduced at the time, the officers came upon the still and lighted a match to the coils which were smoldering beneath it. In a short time, the droplets began to form, and they soon had enough evidence for their case.

The reversing of the case was hinged on this incident. By the strict letter of the law, the still was not in operation when the officers came upon it, and the case will necessarily have to be tried again.

COUNTY LIGHT BILL SHOWS FALLING OFF
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—With the days getting longer, there is an appreciable difference in the electric light bill for Jefferson county. The bill received Saturday morning by county auditor Darden was for only \$186—a difference of about \$20 service bill for the county does not come from the month before. The electric cover lights only, but electric power for the elevator as well as for the two adding machines in the county tax assessor and collector's office, which are run by electricity.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our appreciation of the attentiveness and beautiful floral offerings of our friends and the nurses on the death of our beloved sister, daughter and cousin: C. C. Meeks and family, Warner Meeks and family, Mrs. B. J. Labit, Eugene Meeks, W. M. Meeks, Mrs. G. W. Belcher.

The Best Dentistry at Lowest Prices
Neys seamless gold crowns, the best \$6.00
Teeth, the best \$30.00
Painless Extractions \$1.00
Dr. W. T. McAlpin
442 Waco Ave.
Phone 2096

Fake 'Real Irish Lace' Is Sold Beaumont Woman For Five Times Value

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—A young woman with a well cultivated Irish brogue disposed of \$85 worth of fake "real Irish lace" to Beaumont women in one hour, according to information given Judge H. H. Reeves here this morning.

Many Women Buy It
A number of well known Beaumont women told of how they had bought lace from a young woman. The lace, she had told each of them, was made by her grandmother in her old home in Ireland. She brought the lace in at Port Arthur, but, according to her story, she did not have enough money to pay the tax on it and customs officers held her trunk. They allowed her to take some of the lace and sell it in order that she might pay her customs bill of over \$200, her story went on.

From all accounts she had very little trouble disposing of it. She visited the best homes in town and told her story. Several housewives did not hesitate paying \$5 for a spread and thought they were lucky to get one so cheap. It developed in court this morning that one woman had paid \$35 for a spread and the woman sitting next to her had paid but \$18 for one exactly like it.

Their Elation Is Over
The women would still probably be congratulating themselves on the fact that they had obtained a real bargain if one woman, elated over her purchase had not decided to ask a lace buyer in a local department store to look at it. She was horrified when he told her the lace was machine made, and showed the woman lace in the store identically like that she had bought for one-fifth the price.

Others verified his opinion and the woman immediately swore out a warrant for the young woman's arrest. She was hauled before Judge H. H. Reeves Saturday morning, at which time she admitted she had never been to Ireland, but had come to Beaumont from Deweyville. The lace was shipped in large quantities from a factory from the East to a man in charge of the sales here. She admitted she had received \$85 in one hour from various Beaumont women for lace.

No Penalty Attached
Assistant County Attorney Frank Davidson and Judge Reagan stated that in their opinion there was no law by which the woman could be held and after some questioning by Judge Reeves she was allowed to go. An effort was made to force the woman to return the money for the lace, but they refused to do so.

There was nothing left for the women to do then but to depart with their lace—plus experience.

ESTES TO CLEAR DOCKET MONDAY

Federal Judge to Dispose Of Criminal Cases

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—All cases on the criminal docket in federal court will be disposed of Monday morning. There are a very few minor cases to come up for consideration before Judge W. L. Estes and it is expected that they will be finished without any delay.

Judge Estes returned to his home in Texarkana Friday night and court adjourned over Saturday. He has disposed of 57 liquor cases since court opened.

Curt Griggs was given a six months' term in the penitentiary and fined \$700 on a liquor violation charge Friday afternoon. Griggs is a familiar figure in local courts, he has several cases pending against him for alleged liquor violations in district courts and was re-arrested a short time ago on the same day he was due to have a hearing on a previous case in district court. He has also been sentenced to three years in the penitentiary and this case is now on appeal at Austin.

BEAUMONT ARRESTS DOUBLE IN WEEK
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Twice as many arrests were made by the Beaumont police department during the last seven days than the week before, according to the report compiled by W. S. Nichols, clerk of corporation court.

There were 304 arrests made, and only 152 the week before. There were 17 persons held for investigation during the week, and 29 persons tried in corporation court. Fines assessed totaled \$174.20. Stolen property to the amount of \$1401.35 was reported and \$974 recovered.

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PAUL JONES
THE HOUSTON SENSATION
Versus
MIKE THOMPSON
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NEFF DELAYS NAMING JUDGE

Beaumont Attorneys Expect Campbell to Win

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Local attorneys expressed the belief here today that Governor Pat Neff would not appoint another district judge to take the place left vacant by the death of Judge E. A. McDowell until he returned to Austin. Since he is out on a speaking tour, he probably will not make the appointment for several days yet.

The majority of the members of the local bar association have expressed their preference for Judge J. D. Campbell, local city corporation judge for the office. A petition was signed by 20 members of the bar association several days ago and forwarded to the governor. Since that time, others have sent telegrams asking that the ap-

pointment be made. It will greatly inconvenience the county offices and there will be some extra work if the appointment is not made by midnight, Sunday. The present term will automatically close, and all cases will have to be reset. The criminal docket is unusually heavy, with seven murder cases due for hearing and these will have to be set down for another date. Special venire were summoned also on the more important cases.

Endorsements for a half dozen attorneys for the office were forwarded to Austin, but the choice will probably lie between Judge J. D. Campbell and E. E. Easterling.

FIFTEEN YOUTHS TAKEN IN GAMBLING RAID
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Fifteen young men, all under the age of 25, were arrested late Saturday afternoon at a rooming house, and charges of gambling filed against them.

They volunteered to come to station and pay their fines without having to go in court and were allowed to do this. As a result, 12

pleaded guilty and paid fines of \$15.20 each. The other three youths were already fast what money they had but furnished bond for their appearance.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR IN EASTER SERVICE
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Beaumont Knights Templar will hold a special Easter service at the First Christian church here Sunday afternoon at 8 o'clock. The Knight Templar Easter service will be led by the prelate, Judge Daniel Walker.

NEGRO GOES ON MURDER TRIAL

Jesse Harrison Charged With Wife's Death

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—The case of Jesse Harrison, negro, charged with killing his wife, is set for Monday morning in 60th district court. In case a new judge is appointed today the case will come up for hearing. Harrison is now in the county jail, where he has been held following a preliminary hearing before Judge H. H. Reeves. He has not been allowed bond.

COURT DOCKET
Suits Filed
C. H. McCrary vs. Aetna Life Insurance company.
American National Bank vs. Jacob Shultzman.

Divorces Filed
Kimball Barkley vs. Ethel Barkley.
Matilda Taylor vs. George Taylor.

Marriage Licenses
Gordon Meade Atherholt and Miss Gladys May Tingle.
Charles Holmes and Miss Anna Malach.

Automobile Licenses
A. L. Payne, 925 Richmond avenue, Port Arthur, Oldsmobile.
Mrs. C. Carr, 1620 Holland, Port Arthur, Ford.
H. H. Epperson, 2648 13th street, Port Arthur, Ford.
Charles Sullivan, Port Neches, Buick.
John Henderson, Nederland, Ford.
S. L. Rosenbaum, 913 6th street, Port Arthur, Hudson.

1,000 NEW AUTO SEALS RECEIVED
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—One thousand new automobile numbers have been received at the office of the county tax collector and are now being mailed out to automobile owners who have paid for them by deputy E. B. Kelso. Only a limited supply of the numbers has been available heretofore. More than 600 motorists have already paid for the numbers, which will leave about 400 on hand.

McDONALD WILL RUN FOR RE-ELECTION
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—J. P. McDonald, commissioner of precinct one here will leave in the next few days for Mineral Wells. Mr. McDonald has been in ill health for some time and plans to stay at the resort for several weeks. He will be a candidate for re-election of precinct one.

Dr. George Taylor
Chiropractor and Naturopathist
Lady attendant in office
925 Procter Phone 1581-W

Beginning Monday, April 21

THE CHRISTIAN CAFETERIA

Will continue to serve meals from 11 a. m. to 1 p. m. and from 5 p. m. to 7:30 p. m. at the First Christian Church, Beaumont and 5th St.

Under new management. We will appreciate your patronage.

New Arrivals
Here are a number of pretty new things that you will be wanting in the next few days.

Dew Dropped and Kara Crepe
Both are William Anderson fabrics, in an amazing array of the gay colors of spring, and making color combinations that are unbelievably beautiful, per yard \$1.00.

Sundial Printed Voile
It's also a Wm. Anderson fabric in many very attractive designs and color combinations, per yard 60c.

Himalaya Cloth
A La Porte fabric, 36 inches wide in seven new colors, all fast, highly mercerized charming finish, per yard 60c.

Monday Is Gingham Day

Truly here are some gingham specials that should throng our store Monday all day, for every item is a genuine bargain and every one a supreme value. There is no yardage limit but we will not be able to make charges, or C. O. D., or take telephone orders on these extra specials.

49c—59c—69c Toile de Nod
And imported Scotch ghinghams in all colors, 70 patterns to choose from, in checks, plaids and solids, 32 inches wide, priced special per yard.

29c Gingham
29c ghinghams in 32 inch width, checks in every size, plaids, solids and rattle effects, 125 pieces in the lot per yard all day Monday.

39c Elyfine Gingham
50 pieces in this extra special lot, small and large checks, and solid colors that are fast. 32 inches wide priced special Monday all day per yard.

23c Delhi Gingham
Our opening day trades special repeated for all day Monday. Every conceivable color, in checks, plaids, and solid colors yard Monday.

Normandy Voiles
Genuine Normandy voiles with the dot that won't come out, in every imaginable color, most—25 to choose from, per yard 75c.

Dotted Swiss
Genuine dotted Swiss, imported from Switzerland, a very fine quality in fifteen combinations from which to choose, per yard 75c.

New Hosiery
All new spring shades, hosiery, jack rabbit, honey, albatross, otter, fawn, beige, atmosphere, parrot, tan bark, and the staple black, white, and brown in both chiffon and silk. Priced up from \$1.50.

Trades Week
There is just 6 more Trades and Bargain days Hodges are offering prices that ordinarily come in June and July.

Be Sure to ask for your trades tickets

Inaugurate a Very Exceptional

Sale of Suits

This is truly a wonderful opportunity for you to secure a new spring suit. There are only 26 suits left in our entire stock of spring suits. Each and every one of them are radically reduced beginning tomorrow morning.

Among the selection are the very popular mannish mode, in all of spring's newer materials, such as twills, mixtures, cashmeres, in pencil stripes, checks, plaids and mixed weaves.

Reductions In Some Instances Are Below Cost

One size 13 tan check sport model formerly sold for \$27.50 on sale for **16.98**

One size 16 gray twill with embroidered trim, \$41.50 value for **19.98**

One gray and blue check sport style former value \$22.50 on sale for **15.98**

One size 16 in gray tweed formerly selling at \$26.50 on sale for **16.98**

One size 30 in navy, formerly priced at \$37.50 on sale for **37.98**

One tan pinstrip twill, size 38, formerly priced at \$22.50 on sale for **34.98**

One gray and blue size 36 regular, \$32.50 value on sale for **19.98**

One navy with white pencil stripe, size 38, formerly priced at \$64.00 on sale for **42.98**

One gray plaid in size 38, regular \$42.50 value on sale for **27.98**

One \$34.50 tan twill, plaiting of self material size 16, on sale for **35.98**

One \$57.50 tan twill with embroidered and braided trimming on sleeve and bottom, size 16 on sale for **39.98**

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One tan and self embroidered collar and cuffs, size 18, \$32.50 value for **34.98**

One \$32.00 tan twill with scalloped sleeve and bottom, size 16, on sale for **19.98**

One \$49.50 tan twill, pleated, collar, sleeve and bottom, size 16 on sale for **32.50**

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Millions Read Romantic History of Port Arthur as Written by Isaac F. Marcossion

Famous Industrial Reporter After His Recent Visit to Big Refineries Located Here

Greatest Refining Center in World Is Title Given to City

Part Played by Lucas and John W. Gates in Texas Development of Petroleum Resources Related in National Magazine

MORE than 2,500,000 persons in all parts of the United States this week received a vivid word picture of Port Arthur and the oil industry which has made the leading port of the Sabine district the greatest refining center in the world.

Isaac F. Marcossion, known to millions in the United States and the world in general as "the world's foremost reporter," has written the history of oil development in Texas and the history of the great refineries in Port Arthur following his visit here during January. His story appears in this last week's Saturday Evening Post.

As the artist, Marcossion paints a picture in oil. Oil ramifications, its heartaches, successes, failures and joys are to be reckoned with. Marcossion takes his readers through the varying transitions of the oil industry in Texas, with particular references to the Lucas gusher at Spindletop.

In the writer's own words, "bringing in Spindletop annexed Texas to the oil producing states, for it led to the development of other great fields."

In beginning his article, Marcossion says:

"One morning early in January, 1901, a mound on the coastal plain of Texas, not far from Beaumont, exploded with a bang, well-nigh shattering a derrick and releasing a geyser of petroleum that gushed 200 feet in the air. For ten days the oil flowed unchecked, inundating the whole adjacent area. That mound was the site of the first well in Spindletop, and the roar of its heaving, like that historic Revolutionary shot at Concord bridge, was heard around the world.

"Spindletop—or rather, Spindletop, as it came to be known because of the orgy of speculation that it inspired—represented the beginning of what was in many respects the most significant era in American petroleum since Drake's first well at Oil City. It annexed Texas, today a vast producing empire, to the oil map. It led to the organization of the most powerful independent companies now in operation. It put the American people into oil stock in a big way for the first time. It witnessed the practical introduction of the rotary drill, which has helped to revolutionize operation. It pioneered what is known as the Coastal field, which, with its flow of heavy petroleum, helped to open the fuel-oil epoch. Ranger, Burkhurst and El Dorado.

"As Texas struck its oil stride and became a national producing factor, there was an interesting repetition of history. The madness of speculation that brought thousands to ruin at Spindletop was duplicated twenty years later in the oil boom of the 1920s. The difference, however, is that at Spindletop the get-rich-quick artists escaped with the swag, while in Northern Texas the Doctor Cooks went to jail. Thus, though the human instinct to gamble in undesirable oil securities remains unabated, there has at least been an advance in the laws penalizing promoters.

"There is a wide belief that Spindletop was brought in by Capt. A. F. Lucas with the famous gusher that bears his name. This is true, but it is not generally known that the first well drilled on the area was the work of Walter Sharp. In 1893, Sharp, who was then a drilling contractor, started a well near the base of Spindletop mound. The failure of his principle to supply him with the necessary fuel, water and casing, combined with terrific wind and rain storms which prevailed, led to the abandonment of the project at 415 feet.

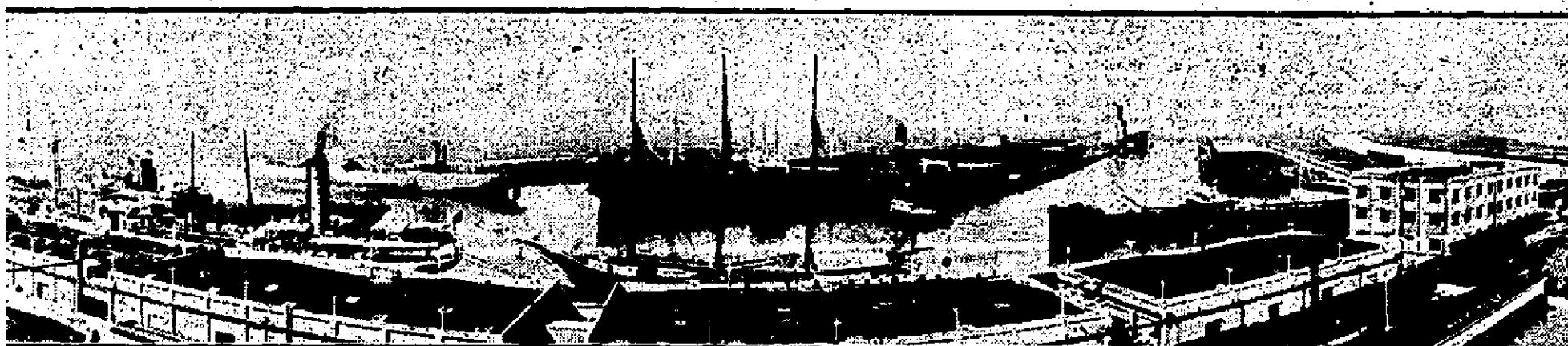
Oil Men's Maxims
"Prior to this time a certain Poth Higgins, who lived at Beaumont, had been a crank on the oil possibilities of the region and organized companies for the exploitation of what later proved to be Spindletop field. He really found Spindletop. As so frequently happens in similar cases, others resented the discovery. When the region was dripping with wealth, his principal asset was a lawsuit.

"This reminds me of a personal phase of the oil business, which is litigation. One of the constantly quoted maxims of the industry is, 'You spend in—that is begin a well—at the surface and sue at the oil laws.' Another is, 'A dry hole costs a title and a well complicates it.' It means, in a word, that an oil strike often means the sudden discovery by a great many people that they have an interest in it. So it was with Higgins, who really was the original Spindletop man.

"Among the many who had faith in the Spindletop region was Capt. A. F. Lucas. An 'utopian by birth' when he became an American citizen in the '80s. Previous to his arrival in America he had graduated as an engineer at the Polytechnic Institute at Gratz, and also served as midshipman in the American navy. His first employment in this country was as mining engineer in a salt mine in Louisiana. This led him to an investigation of the sulphur and oil possibilities of the Coastal plain, and in time he turned up at Spindletop, where the some formation, the exhumation of unburned hydrogen gas confirmed his belief that there was a region worth tapping.

"Lucas, and Sharp before him, saw that the rotary bit was the key to lean and difficult production. Lucas led to work with more or less primitive rotary tools and his well collapsed when he reached quicksand. He installed a heavier rotary outfit and started all over again. It is not necessary to go into the details of the man's long and baffling struggle. He ran out of money and in

Docks of Texas Co. One of the Port Arthur Scenes That Impressed Noted Writer on Visit Here



MUSIC WEEK PROGRAM READY

Individual Numbers on Recitals Announced

Among the features of the third annual Music Week in Port Arthur May 4 to 8, will be the musical programs planned for presentation in the city schools here, members of the central committee arranging the Music Week events, said Saturday.

While these programs are to be given in the school auditoriums, the public is not only invited, but is expected to attend. Music Week supporters said, pointing out that the school programs are but a part of the general scheme of musicians and music lovers here to create unusual opportunities for Port Arthurians to hear good music.

Old-Fashioned Songs
One of the outstanding programs arranged for presentation by the school pupils is the "Old Fashioned Songs" program to be given in the High school auditorium Tuesday, May 8, at 8:15 a. m., sponsored by Ethel King, teacher.

Junior Assembly—Miss Leona B. Dietz, sponsor.
Modern violinists and pianists: Sketch of the Life of Fritz Kreisler—Elizabeth Young.

Record by Kreisler—Liebesfreud.
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Night and Morning (E. Clyde Whitlock).

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and Haylor.
The Violet—Riley and Haylor.
The New Soldiers—Edward Birge.
Strange Lands—W. R. Cowles.
Meisner.

Summer Song—W. R. Cowles.
The Pussy Willows—Adolph Weidinger.
By children of the 2d and 3d grades—Miss Beall, teacher.

"May Pole Dance."
Raindrop Soldiers—Paul Bliss.
A Trip to the Moon—Josephine R. de Elias.

April—Catherine Van Rennes.
Algerian Lullaby—Mary Root Kern.
Boy Scouts—Catherine Van Rennes.

Susie, Little Susie—Tolk Song.
"Hansel and Gretel."
By children of 4th grade—Miss Ethel King, teacher.

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F. W. Kerna—Director of orchestra.
March, Flying Ace (Zamechik)—High school orchestra.

Clarinet solo, Spring Song (Mendelssohn)—Paul Cole.
Flutin trio, Serenade (Julius Eichberg)—F. W. Kerna, Edmund Holway, Gladys Campbell.

Trombone solo, Evening Star (Tannhauser)—Clyde Jones.
Horn duet, Gavotte (Amsien)—Lester Badgett, Frank Astel.

Violin solo, 1st. Movt. from Concerto in D (Seitz)—Gladys Campbell.
Sextette from Lucia (Donizetti)—High School orchestra.

May 8—3:15 p. m., High School Auditorium.
Program by Girls' Chorus—Audrey Lucile Smith, director, assisted by Miss Beth Palmer of the High school faculty.

The Lost Chord—Sullivan.
The Two Clocks—Loggers.
Girls' Chorus.

Spring, a Loveable Lady—W. Keith Elliott.
Miss Beth Palmer.

From the Land of the Skyblue Water—Cadenman.
Spinning Chorus—Roedel.

Girls' Chorus.
Sunbeams—Landon Ronald.

Sing, Smile and Slumber—Gounod.
Florian's Song—Gounod.

Girls' Chorus.
The program arranged for the 11th Engineer's Regimental band concert in Lions park on the night of May 6, from 8 until 9 o'clock was announced Saturday by Forrest G. Stump, director, as follows:

March: "America First" (F. H. Losey).
March: "Up the Street" (R. G. Morse).

Waltz: "Morning" (Julian Robel-do).
Fox trot: "Pack Up Your Troubles and Go to the Devil" (Irving Berlin).

March: "The Old Gray Mare" (Frank Panella).
Overture: "Sincerity" (George D. Derazard).

March: "Down Main Street" (A. J. Wildt).
Waltz: "Under the Spell" (Thos. S. Allen).

Medley overture: "All to the Good" (Machol Meyer).
Overture: "Dance Moderne" (Norman Leigh).

March: "To the Fox Trot" (E. H. Day).
Military March: "National Defense" (Bedwalt Lampe).

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Local Man Weds

Beaumont Girl

The wedding of A. Allen Burton, Texas company employee here, and Miss Clementine L. Wehmeyer of Beaumont was celebrated Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the First Presbyterian church manse, with Rev. R. A. Davis, pastor, officiating.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Burton left for a honeymoon trip to Houston, Galveston and San Antonio. They will be at home May 1 at 2470 Beaumont avenue, Beaumont, Texas.

Mrs. Burton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Wehmeyer of Port Laver, Texas, and until her marriage was connected with the City National Bank of Beaumont. She is a graduate of the Southwest Texas Normal school, and attended Texas State university.

Burton is a native of Virginia, and attended the Virginia Polytechnic institute. He served overseas with the A. E. F. for 14 months. For some time past he has been with the engineering department of the Texas company at Port Arthur.

John Sharp Williams
Doesn't Want Any Congressional Record

WASHINGTON, April 19.—John Sharp Williams of Mississippi, long recognized as the sage of the senate, is having the time of his life down on his plantation near Yazoo City, Miss. He's reading the classics, talking philosophy with a few old cronies, listening to the birds and watching the flowers grow. Lawmaking, congressional investigations and politics are the last things he wants to know about.

A Mississippi congressman who, wishing to help the old man keep in touch with affairs in Washington where he was so long an outstanding figure, recently had John Sharp put on the mailing list for the Congressional Record.

John wrote back a prompt, but firm and heartfelt protest. "If you really love and respect me, as you say you do," he said, "take my name off the mailing list for the Record."

"I never read it, I don't want to read it and I don't even want to see the damn thing."

Johnson's Big Test

Will Come in May

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The crisis of Hiram Johnson's campaign for president will not come at the Cleveland convention in June, but at the California primaries on May 6.

Johnson's failure to upset the Coolidge apple cart in the primaries in Nebraska, Michigan, Illinois and North Dakota has strengthened the president's backers in the hope that he will be unable to get the endorsement even of his own state.

Only five more witnesses remain to be questioned. Walsh stated, three of whom he himself has summoned and two subpoenaed by Senator Spencer, republican of Missouri. After they are examined the committee's doors will be shut, probably forever, while the committee draws up its report to the senate, drafting recommendations for the prevention of future oil scandals, Walsh said.

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OIL INQUIRY

NEARING END

Only 5 More Witnesses Yet To Be Questioned

WASHINGTON, April 19.—The senate oil committee will ring down the curtain on its investigations next week, bringing to an end one of the most sensational congressional inquiries ever made.

Announcement of ending of the famous probe was made tonight by Thomas J. Walsh, of Montana, who played the leading role in the dramatic series of accusations that marked the progress of the committee hearings.

Only five more witnesses remain to be questioned. Walsh stated, three of whom he himself has summoned and two subpoenaed by Senator Spencer, republican of Missouri. After they are examined the committee's doors will be shut, probably forever, while the committee draws up its report to the senate, drafting recommendations for the prevention of future oil scandals, Walsh said.

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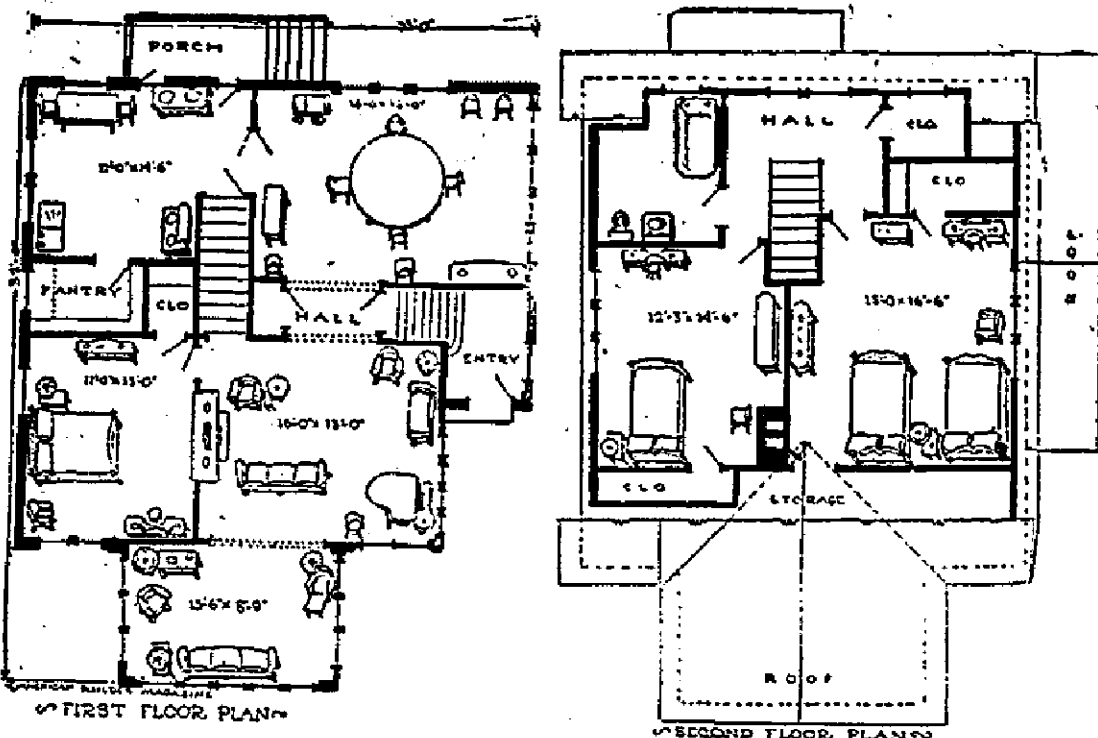
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Plans For This House Combine Practical Features With Those of Economy



Building Permits Hit \$89,146 Total

Building permits for April this far still show a lingering toward holding back with construction of \$89,146 authorized in permits for this far this

month. This includes 23 new residence buildings, a business addition and numerous repairing jobs.

April has generally been the month in which the large number of repair job permits are taken out, according to officials in charge of the issuing of permits, the spring month

being somewhat of an urge for repairs about the house which have been allowed to spill more or less during the winter months.

CLARKE RUM CASE IS NOLE PROSSED
INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 19.—Charges of transporting liquor, pending against Edward Young Clarke, former Imperial wizard of the Ku

Klux Klan, were nolle prossed today by Judge Anderson in federal court. The charges grew out of the discovery in a park at Muncie, Indiana, of a suitcase belonging to Clarke with a whiskey bottle beside it.



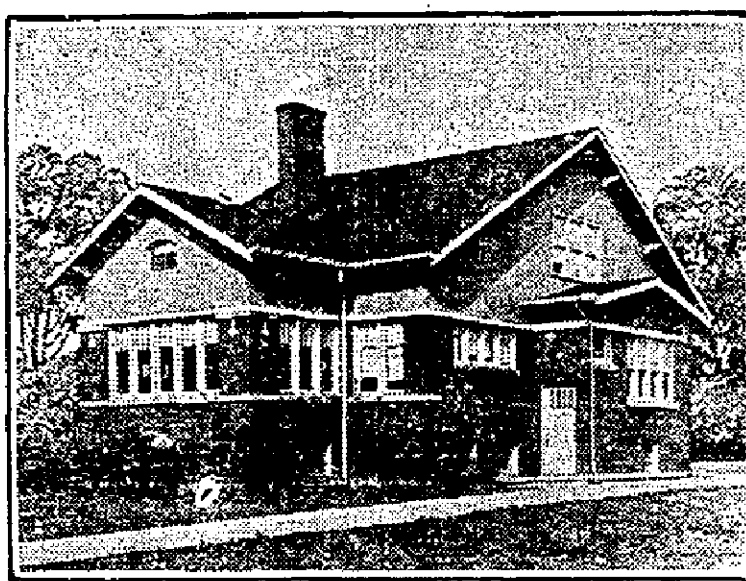
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Front view and plans of 6-room semi-bungalow, suggesting furniture layout.

tions, and the kitchen is planned to give the utmost convenience to the housewife. Note that provision is made for icing the refrigerator from the outside and that the pantry is well lighted.

The first floor bedroom is a feature which will appeal to many families. The two chambers on the second floor are of good size and have roomy closets.

The cost of this home may be between \$1,500 and \$8,000, depending on choice of materials, the distance of its location from sources of material supply and the condition of the local labor market. In many sections of the country the figures will vary more than those given.

An entrance that insures privacy is one of the features of the home pictured here.

Houses of brick and stucco of this story-and-a-half, or semi-bungalow, type are popular in many sections of the United States because of the combination of practical features with comparative economy of construction.

Houses of this type, although not particularly of inviting aspect when they stand alone, combine readily with surrounding foliage and are delightful in proper settings, particularly if care is used in the selection of a decorative roofing material.

The height of the first floor above the ground line insures an exceptionally light and airy basement. Notice that the entry door is on the ground level, and that the first floor is gained by means of a short flight of stairs in the entry hall.

This entryway gives access to the living room and the stairs to the second floor. Both the living room and dining room are of comfortable dimensions. The size of the living room is augmented both in appearance and utility by the large sun porch. The large opening between the two makes them virtually one large room. The fireplace is a feature which few homebuilders will be willing to do without.

The dining room is well lighted and of pleasing rectangular proportions.

Missouri's Flower Lady Pays For Her Home With Paper Flowers



Mrs. Hugo Reistick and the house that paper flowers built.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 19.—The accompanying picture shows the house that paper flowers built.

And, inset in the picture is Mrs. Hugo Reistick, who lives in the house that paper flowers built.

Understand the house isn't made out of paper. It's a regular frame bungalow.

But it was all bought and paid for by money Mrs. Reistick earned selling fancy artificial blooms.

Missouri's "flower lady" began her flowery career back in her school days. She'd ramble through the woods, picking real wild flowers and then she'd copy them, out of colored paper, with a pair of shears.

Her first samples were sold for a few cents. Business began to pick up. Then she entered her wares at state and county fairs—and she took many prizes.

In recent years Mrs. Reistick has built up a very profitable business in

paper flowers. She sells them all over this country and in some foreign lands. For California dealers she makes a specialty of the famous California poppy.

"Quite a difference between my first pay and what I get now," says she. "Usually I got several dollars a dozen and even as high as fifty dollars for a basket of a variety of flowers which are used to decorate stores."

And, in spite of all this, real flowers are still a hobby with Mrs. Reistick. They grow all around the house that paper flowers built.



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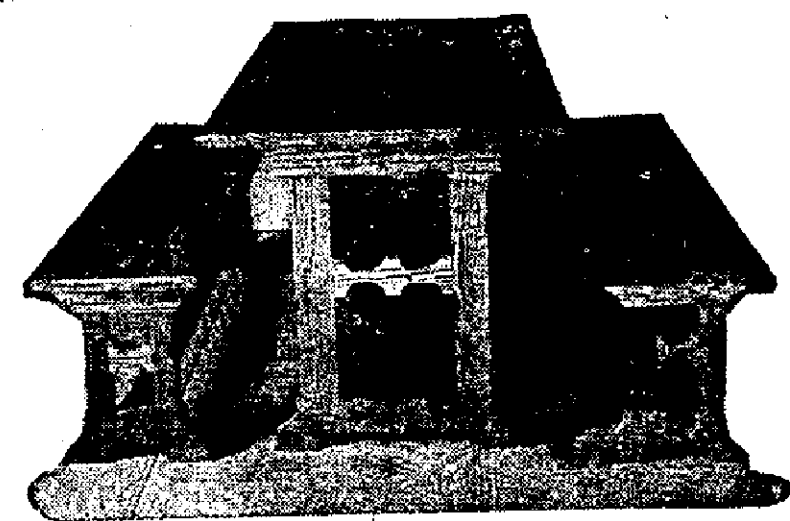


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ICE COMPANY MAKES REPAIRS

\$18,000 Construction Program Complete

Announcement yesterday was made of the completion of the Consumer's Ice and Fuel Company's repairing construction on Houston avenue after an expenditure of \$18,000.

Work on the improvements was started six weeks ago, a new condensing system having been installed allowing the company to manufacture its own ice for city deliveries which will be started Monday morning.

The officers of the company include J. F. Jakowicz, president-manager; John F. Naguin, city salesman; Leo P. Despit, manager filling station, and Charles B. Satter, superintendent of producing plant.

Texas Co. Jefferson County's Largest Taxpayer, New Assessment Rolls Indicate

WIDE RANGE IN TAX AMOUNTS

14 Cents to \$350,000 Are Payments

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Practically all the assessing of county property has been completed. The amounts the county will receive range from \$330,000 down to 14 cents.

The assessor's office will receive payments to April 31, but they also have made a house to house canvass and this work has been completed. They are now busy assembling all records.

Refiners Lead All
The three refineries, the Texas Co., Gulf and Magnolia pay the highest amount of taxes. The Texas lead with \$340,218.93, the Magnolia comes second with \$291,844.69, and the Gulf third with \$195,702.48.

On the other hand, many persons will pay less than \$1 for all the property they possess. There are a number of people in the county who own very small lots—valued at no more than \$10 in outlying districts, and there are many assessments on the oils for property, where the owner will have to give the county but 14 cents.

McFaddin Wealthiest Man
W. P. H. McFaddin owns more property than any other one man in the county. His taxes will total \$17,088.26. Captain W. C. Tyrell comes next with \$10,534.91. Although Captain Tyrell is known to own extensive tracts of land, many of his interests are outside the county and practically all the McFaddin land is in Jefferson county.

The railroads also turn over good-sized checks to the county. The Southern Pacific railroad will pay more than \$25,000 taxes. The Kansas City Southern pays \$11,348.78 and the Gulf Coast holdings cause them to pay more than \$6,000 taxes.

If all people obeyed the law to the exact letter, they would make returns on all property, including household furniture, etc., for more than \$250 which they possessed. However, according to deputies in the county tax assessor's office, it is a very unusual thing for an automobile owner, who does not own any other property to come in and register his car for assessment. It is still more unusual for a householder to come in and say he does not own any property—no car, but has more than \$250 worth of furniture and wants it assessed.

The few people who do make the assessments are always very conscientious or else as one deputy expressed it "they do not know any better."

The state tax is now 75 cents as high as it can be by law. Records in the assessor's office show that there was a time in 1885 when the rate was only 10 cents. In 1848 it was 20 cents, then 10 cents for a time and for some unaccountable reason jumped up to 30 cents in the year of 1841. It fell in 1855. The school tax was in effect first in 1854.

Wm. Schmidt Case Reversed on Appeal
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BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Deputy District Clerk Joe Cottman received a mandate from the court of criminal appeals Saturday morning reversing the case of William Schmidt and granting for a new trial.

Schmidt was tried here and given a term of three years on a charge of manufacturing of intoxicating liquor. According to evidence introduced at the time, the officers came upon the still and located a man in the coils which were smoldering beneath it. In a short time, the drops began to form and they soon had enough evidence for their case.

The reversing of the case was hinged on this incident. By the strict letter of the law, the still was not in operation when the officers came upon it, and the case will necessarily have to be tried again.

COUNTY LIGHT BILL SHOWS FALLING OFF
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—With the days getting longer, there is an appreciable difference in the electric light bill for Jefferson county. The bill received Saturday morning for county auditor Davison was for only \$156— a difference of about \$20 service bill for the county does not from the month before. The electric cover lights only, but electric power for the two adding machines in the county tax assessor and collectors' office, which are run by electricity.

CARD OF THANKS
We wish to express our appreciation of the attentiveness and beautiful floral offering of our friends and the nurses on the death of our beloved sister, daughter and cousin:

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Fake 'Real Irish Lace' Is Sold Beaumont Woman For Five Times Value

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BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—A young woman with a well cultivated Irish brogue disposed of \$85 worth of fake "real Irish lace" to Beaumont women in one hour, according to information given Judge H. H. Reeves here this morning.

Many Women Buy It
A number of well known Beaumont women told of how they had bought lace from a young woman. The lace, she had told each of them, was made by her grandmother in her old home in Ireland. She brought the lace in at Port Arthur, but, according to her story, she did not have enough money to pay the tax on it and customs officers held her trunk. They allowed her to take some of the lace and sell it in order that she might pay her customs bill of over \$200, her story went on.

From all accounts she had very little trouble disposing of it. She visited the best homes in town and told her story. Several housewives did not hesitate paying \$85 for a spread and thought they were lucky to see one so cheap. It developed in court this morning that one woman had paid \$25 for a spread and the woman sitting next to her had paid but \$18 for one exactly like it.

Their Elation Is Over
The women would still probably be congratulating themselves on the fact that they had obtained a real bargain if one woman, elated over her purchase had not decided to ask a lace buyer in a local department store to look at it. She was horrified when he told her the lace was machine made, and showed the woman lace in the store identically like that she had bought for five-fifths the price.

Others verified his opinion and the woman immediately swore out a warrant for the young woman's arrest. She was hauled before Judge H. H. Reeves Saturday morning, at which time she admitted she had never been to Ireland, but had come to Beaumont from Deweyville. The lace was shipped in large quantities from a factory from the East to a man in charge of the sales here, she admitted she had received \$83 in one hour from various Beaumont women for lace.

No Penalty Attached
Assistant County Attorney Frank Davidson and Judge Reagan stated that in their opinion there was no law to which the woman could be held and after some questioning by Judge Reeves she was allowed to go. An effort was made to force the woman to return the money for the lace, but they refused to do so.

There was nothing left for the women to do then but to depart with their lace—plus experience.

ESTES TO CLEAR DOCKET MONDAY

Federal Judge to Dispose Of Criminal Cases
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—All cases on the criminal docket in federal court will be disposed of Monday morning. There are a very few minor cases to come up for consideration before Judge W. L. Estes and it is expected that they will be finished without any delay.

Judge Estes returned to his home in Texarkana Friday night and court adjourned over Saturday. He has disposed of 37 liquor cases since court opened.

Curt Griggs was given a six months term in the penitentiary and fined \$700 on a liquor violation charge. Friday afternoon, Griggs is a familiar figure in local courts. He has several cases pending against him for alleged liquor violations in district courts and was re-arrested a short time ago on the same day he was due to have a hearing on a previous case in district court. He has also been sentenced to three years in the penitentiary and this case is now on appeal at Austin.

BEAUMONT ARRESTS DOUBLE IN WEEK
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Twice as many arrests were made by the Beaumont police department during the last seven days than the week before, according to the report furnished by W. S. Nichols, clerk of corporation court.

There were 104 arrests made, and only 52 the week before. There were 17 persons held for investigation during the week, and 29 persons tried in corporation court. Fines assessed totaled \$174.20. Stolen property to the amount of \$1401.35 was reported and \$974 recovered.

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It will greatly inconvenience the county officers and there will be some extra work if the appointment is not made by midnight, Sunday. The present term will automatically close, and all cases will have to be reset. The criminal docket is unusually heavy, with seven murder cases due for hearing and these will have to be set down for another date. Special venues were summoned also on the more important cases.

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plead guilty and paid fines of \$15.20 each. The other three young men had already lost what money they had but furnished bond for their appearance.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR IN EASTER SERVICE
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—Beaumont Knights Templar will hold a special Easter service at the First Christian church here Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. The Knight Templar Easter service will be led by the prelate, Judge Daniel Walker.

COURT DOCKET
Suits Filed
C. R. McCrary vs. Aetna Life Insurance Company.
American National Bank vs. Jacob Shollhammer.

Divorces Filed
Kimball Barkley vs. Ethel Barkley.
Matilda Taylor vs. George Taylor.

Marriage Licenses
Gordon Meade Atherholt and Miss Gladys May Tingle.
Charles Holmes and Miss Anna Malach.

George Triplett and Miss Zora Hollingshead.
August Yalke and Miss Versa Richards.
Harold Elmstrom and Miss Mabel Alshire.
George Boyd and Miss Una Dunlap.

Automobile Licenses
A. L. Payne, 525 Richmond ave. new, Port Arthur, Oldsmobile.
Mrs. C. Carr, 1620 Holland, Port Arthur, Ford.
H. H. Uperson, 2648 13th street, Port Arthur, Ford.
Charles Sullivan, Port Neches, Buick.
John Henderson, Nederland, Ford.
S. J. Rosenbaum, 113 6th street, Port Arthur, Hudson.

1000 NEW AUTO SEALS RECEIVED
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—One thousand new automobile numbers have been received at the office of the county tax collector and are now being mailed out to automobile owners who have paid for them by deputy E. B. Kelso. Only a limited supply of the numbers has been available heretofore. More than 600 motorists have already paid for the numbers, which will leave about 400 on hand.

McDONALD WILL RUN FOR RE-ELECTION
Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Texas, April 19.—J. P. McDonald, commissioner of precinct since one here will leave in the next few days for Mineral Wells. Mr. McDonald has been in ill health for some time and plans to stay at the resort for several weeks. He will be a candidate for re-election of precinct one.

Dr. George Taylor
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Beginning Monday, April 21
THE CHRISTIAN CAFETERIA

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Recent Scientific Tests Show Need of Laws for Control of Automobile Brakes

EMERGENCY NOT SO EFFECTIVE

Improvement Needed On Most Modern Inventions

By ISRAEL KLEIN
NEA Service Writer

NEED of local ordinances governing the control and efficiency of brakes on automobiles was brought home recently in tests conducted at Washington by representatives of the Society of Automotive Engineers and the bureau of Standards.

The tests revealed the following glaring defects on average automobiles:

1. Cars with four-wheel brakes varied considerably in the effectiveness of their brakes.

2. Cars with two-wheel brakes also varied considerably in braking efficiency and stopped at greater distances than the four brake cars.

3. The so-called "emergency" brake was less effective than the service brake in stopping the car.

These and other tests conducted by engineers independently point to the efficiency of four-wheel brakes especially in emergencies. But they also reveal the fact that this innovation needs considerable adjustment and improvement before it can be referred to as a finished product.

Method Used

In making these tests the engineers used a decelerometer developed by Bureau of Standards men. This instrument recorded more accurately than any previous system the distances required for a car to stop from a given speed. The popular system heretofore, which is still in use by police officials in various cities, was to have a motorist reach a designated line across the road at a given speed and apply the brakes as he crossed the line. The distance line marked the efficiency of his brakes, as related to the standard set by the local authorities. Even this standard may vary according to the judgment of the various officials.

It was one of the purposes of the Bureau of Standards test to determine a standard of braking efficiency for various kinds of automobiles, so that police may not have to rely on a more or less arbitrary decision. Use of the decelerometer and adoption of a U. S. standard might result in better and more scientific inspection of brakes by police.

According to the Bureau of Standards test, the average stopping distance for a four-brake car going 20 miles an hour was 21.1 feet on a dry pavement and 26.5 feet on a wet road. Yet the stopping distances for such cars tested varied from 16 to 26 feet on a dry road, and from 11 to 40 feet on a wet road.

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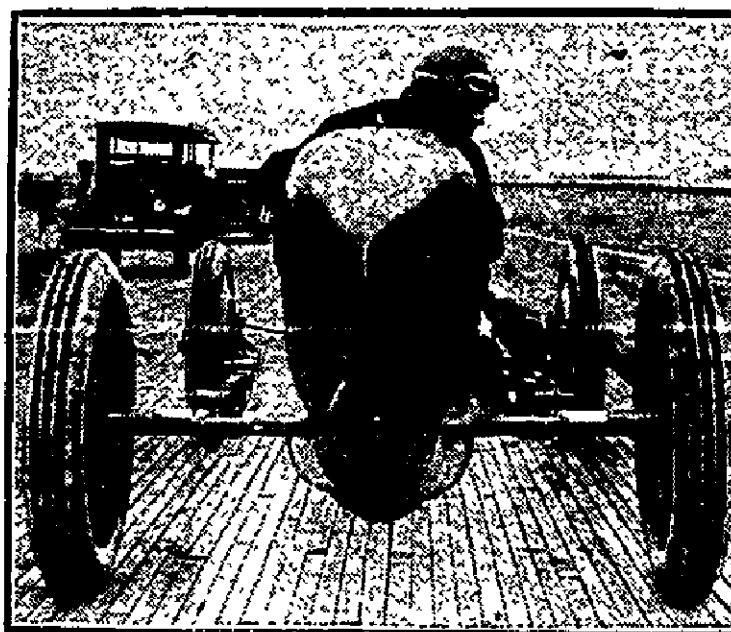
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Talk about joy-riding. No greater thrill can be enjoyed than that gotten out of a sport around a race-track in one of these chariots. Yet look how selfish these drivers are. Room for only one, and that one cramped into a narrow seat. Cliff Durant, designer of this car, admits it isn't right. But it has to be done to cut down resistance to a minimum when he enters the car in the Indianapolis Speedway races on Memorial Day.

AN IGNITION LOCK

The belief that no auto lock renders the car theft-proof may be well founded, but it is the wise motorist who realizes that the car which is locked in some manner is less liable to be stolen. The practice of removing the rotor renders the car incapable of being removed under its own power, but the thief provides for such small matters by carrying a rotor in his pocket. However, with a little labor, the distributor may be made so that it will receive only its own particular rotor. The top end of the rotor shaft is drilled and fitted with a pin. A hole is drilled in the rotor to slip over the pin. In this manner the rotor shaft will not carry any rotor which is not drilled to accommodate the pin. —Automobile Digest.

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"Leaders in the automobile field welcome this increased competition. It stimulates them to effect economies in manufacture and distribution of their products which, in the future, will make their cars stand out intrinsically as standards of comparison as the 1924 Maxwell," says C. E. Booz, local Maxwell, Chalmers and Chrysler dealer. Walter P. Chrysler, chairman of the board of directors of the Maxwell Motor corporation, and the manufacturer of the Chrysler Six, came to Detroit recently from his New York offices primarily to see three men. He kept them waiting for three hours. This is why he did it.

On the train from New York, Mr. Chrysler's manufacturing ingenuity directed itself toward ways by which costs of producing automobiles could be lowered. After some thought, he devised a method by which he believed eight cents could be eliminated from the cost of producing each Maxwell car through the greater efficiency of a certain manufacturing device at a particular stage of Maxwell building.

So engrossed did he become in the thought, and so important did he deem it, that he pushed every other business consideration aside until he had visited the Maxwell plant and actually worked out his ideas right on the factory progressive assembly line, in conjunction with his own employees.

"Savings that eight cents per car, he told the trio when he met them later, was of even more importance to Maxwell than my appointment with you. And it was of even greater importance to the automobile industry, or will be, than to our own company," one of the three replied.

The saving of that eight cents by the native head of one of the industry's largest concerns does not in itself mean a large saving, even considering quantity production. But the point is that it is merely another Chrysler forward step, and that it was done by the man who has been responsible more than any other one person in the industry for the lower costs of manufacture accomplished in the Maxwell models when they were introduced in 1922. He is widely recognized by manufacturing experts throughout American industry of all kinds as being an outstanding figure in economical quality manufacture.

ELIMINATING RATTLES

The shields of some fenders are made of very light metal which starts considerable noise striking the fender irons. It is essential to keep the rivets or bolts in the frame brackets tight and if leather pads are inserted between the iron and the shield the noise may be reduced considerably and in many cases eliminated entirely. —Automobile Digest.

THIS AND THAT

Doldin still has the lead on the automobile both in "domestic registrations" as well as in "exports." Within the last ten years American breeders exported to Europe 1,500,000 horses while the automobile manufacturers over the same period of time exported but 997,280 cars, including those sent to South America, Australia, Asia and Africa. In 1923 some 101,400 American cars were sent abroad in sections, being assembled at their destination. Doldin, however, was sent over completely equipped, which makes a difference.

RATHER HARSH!

A man is something that can see a pretty little three blocks away while driving a motor car in a crowded city street, but will fail to notice, in the wide, open countryside, the approach of a locomotive the size of a schoolhouse and accompanied by a flock of forty-two toy cars. —Automobile Digest.

SOURCES OF SAP

The varieties of trees, shrubs, plants and vines which discharge rubber sap are numbered in the hundreds. One of the smallest and most common is the pasture milkweed, and the greatest is the Hevea Brasiliensis which sometimes attains a height of 120 feet. —Automobile Digest.

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Nine Buick Owners Hung Up Big League Records

FLINT, Mich., April 19.—From the list of 1924 major league baseball players who own Buick cars nine players could be selected who, during the 1923 season, hung up a collective average batting mark of .320—by far a higher average than any major league team has attained in the last thirty years, either in the regular season or the world series.

This team would consist of Daves, Detroit, p.; Severid, St. Louis Browns, c.; Pipp, New York Giants, 1st b.; Frisch, New York Giants, 2nd b.; Rigney, Detroit, ss.; Dugan, New York Yankees, 3rd b.; Arcubien, Chicago White Sox, 1st b.; Speaker, Cleveland, cf.; Tobin, St. Louis Browns, rf.; all 300 or better hitters excepting Daves and Dugan.

The fan who thinks the above team could be improved as a Buick "All American" entry might choose from Buick owners a pitcher more to his liking in either Sam Jones of the Yankees, Clarence Mitchell of the Phillies, or Sylvester Johnson of the Tigers. Daves and Jones were among eleven pitchers (in the two major leagues combined) who succeeded in winning twenty or more games during 1923.

In the outfield, as outlined in the 329 team named above, does not exactly suit the captious critic, he can have the entire infield of the World's Champion Yankees and still confine his choice to Buick owners. Pipp and Ward, Scott and Dugan are all Buick owners and boosters. Besides these four stars, there is the renowned "Marty" McManus of the St. Louis Browns, and the veteran Jimmy Aus-tin of the same team. They own Buicks too.

And when it comes to the outfield, how that old "leather" would suffer in a "pinch" with such drubbers available as "Bobby" Veach and Ira Flagstead of the Boston Red Sox. "Hi" Myers of the St. Louis Cardinals, and "Bing" Miller of the Philadelphia Athletics.

Who will manage these all American Buickites? How about Tris Speaker? Or Connie Mack? Or Miller Huggins? Or Wilbur Robinson? They all own Buicks.

NEW PRECEDENT

In rendering a verdict of \$1,296 in favor of a motorist whose self and car were injured as a result of an unmarked obstruction on a public road, the supreme court of appeals of Virginia has established a precedent of interest to all motorists. According to the ruling the automobile driver has a right to presume that the highway at night is in a reasonably safe condition unless warned accordingly. Most drivers, however, will proceed on the safer assumption that anything may happen.

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REINCARNATION OF FORD'S '99'

Fleet Motor Boat Recalls Henry's Racer

There's a new victor in the motor boat racing world and wherever enthusiasts gather for the next few months to speculate on the big events scheduled for the coming season, it's pretty safe to presume that they will have considerable to say about "Nine Ninety Nine."

Edsel B. Ford's new racer is a marvel in its class. To the old timers who gathered for the sweepstakes race down at Miami, Fla., not long ago it was a complete surprise.

"Nine Ninety Nine" made its debut when it entered for the Biscayne Bay 1924 championship on the afternoon of March 7th, with half a dozen other contenders for the honor. At the gun, the trim, sturdy little craft fairly leapt into the fray and then settled down beautifully for the 2000 yard over its nearest competitor and steadily maintained this until the end of the heat, and without being pushed to any extent carried away the honors of the day in splendid style.

"Nine Ninety Nine", with the same sure, confident air of the first day, and letting out a trifle more went into the second heat of the race with a new burst of speed, lapped its nearest competitor three times and easily held that lead to the end of the forty-mile grind, winning the championship and the McAllister Hotel trophy, a magnificent silver cup standing 29 inches high on its base of ebony.

"Nine Ninety Nine" arrived home a day or two ago—at the Ford Engineering laboratory out at Dearborn, Mich., where it will remain until the big classics later in the year.

The name, "Nine Ninety Nine", flashing its silvered letters on the sides, seemed rather familiar and perhaps a bit significant.

Many will remember the name, Nine a score of years ago, when Henry Ford was pioneering in the automobile business he developed a racing car, christened it "900" and drove it to victory in races all over the country. It was with the "900" that he first broke the mile-a-minute record.

Ford experts, pioneering now in gas driven nautical engines, seem to have attained a notable achievement in the motor hidden beneath the glass-encased deck of "Nine Ninety Nine," which returned a winner in the first race of his career.

The "Nine Ninety Nine" is 23 feet, 6 inches long and has a 6-ft. beam. It is of V bottom displacement and built for the International Sweepstakes class. It is of mahogany with a three-ply bottom, two-ply sides, and "cup" top. The deck is of streamline design and there is no raised engine hatch.

The engine, a 12-cylinder Ford library marine conversion is a distinct development of Ford engineers.

USE OF MIRROR

Magnifying glasses are usually placed so that it is difficult to observe the action of the breaker points or to check the point at which they open. To overcome this difficulty some repair men set a small pocket mirror into a sheet metal frame and solder this to a wire twisted to form a handle. The mirror may then be held at various angles so that the action of the breaker points may be observed. —Automobile Digest.

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University of Texas Continues Long String of Unbroken Wins, Remaining Undefeated in Any Branch of Sports

PAAC Team Plays Beaumonters Here At 3 P. M. Today

By BILL ARCHER
COSMOPOLITAN Park will be the scene of baseball activity again in Port Arthur today when the fast Beaumont All Stars come here to clash against the Port Arthur Athletic Club's nine.

For the Athletics, it will be the first encounter of the season, and it is figured to draw out the strength of the club. The visitors are seasoned from a series of games, and have had considerably more experience in the field.

Made up of some of the best known ball players in the community, and rounded into trim shape for a fast season both locally and abroad, the Athletics finished practice Friday afternoon and took a rest from the field Saturday in preparation for their initial appearance.

Unfortunately for the players, new uniforms ordered over a week ago from a firm in Dallas failed to arrive as scheduled, and will not be ready for distribution in time for the game. The team, however, refused to be daunted by this trick of the fates, and will enter the diamond this afternoon reemerging an array of various ball suits, but confident of winning a ball game.

Probable Lineup Announced
Management of the club announced last night the following as tentative starting lineup this afternoon:
 Draughn, 2b; Perkins, 1b; Corley, ss; Fulbright, cf; Earhart, lf; Bolen, c; Bell, p; Vanderloos, 3b; Perry, p.

Townsend, Hans, Palmer, Polodina, and Humphries other members of the squad, will be sent into the field during the game. The twirling staff, including Pete Kanyas, another southpaw, Love and Sidons, both right-handers, will probably be called on for duty during the game.

Perry Looks Good
Perry, the lucky chap chosen to start the fireworks for Port Arthur this afternoon, is a southpaw twister with plenty of stuff on the horsehide. He handles himself with ease and grace in the box, and has unraveled a kick in the ball that is mystifying. Perry has had a taste of the upper show, and was among the first to come out for the local nine.

Love, Kanyas and Sidons are all in great form this season, and look capable.

Leo Drimley, an outfielder who played in the West Texas League a couple of seasons, will probably join the squad during the incoming week, and will be ready for the next encounter.

Sport Card

HOW THEY STAND

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	10	1	.909
New York	9	1	.900
Boston	8	2	.800
Pittsburgh	7	3	.700
Cincinnati	6	4	.600
Brooklyn	5	5	.500
St. Louis	4	6	.400
Philadelphia	3	7	.300

National League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	10	1	.909
New York	9	1	.900
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Pittsburgh	7	3	.700
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Brooklyn	5	5	.500
St. Louis	4	6	.400
Philadelphia	3	7	.300

Texas League

Club	W.	L.	Pct.
San Antonio	10	1	.909
Victoria Falls	9	2	.818
Dallas	8	3	.727
Houston	7	4	.636
Beaumont	6	5	.545
Shreveport	5	6	.455
Galveston	4	7	.364

RESULTS YESTERDAY

Texas League
 At Dallas: Port Arthur 3, San Antonio 0.
 At San Antonio: Port Arthur 3, Victoria Falls 0.
 At Victoria Falls: Port Arthur 5, Dallas 0.
American League
 At Boston: Philadelphia 0, New York 2.
 At Detroit: St. Louis 3, Chicago 0.
National League
 At New York: Boston 11, Philadelphia 0.
 At Cincinnati: Chicago 2, St. Louis 1.
 At St. Louis: Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 0.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Texas League
 Galveston at Houston.
 San Antonio at Beaumont.
 Shreveport at Port Arthur.
American League
 Cleveland at Brooklyn.
 St. Louis at Detroit.
National League
 Boston at New York.
 Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
 Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
 Chicago at Cincinnati.

May Change Starters
The lineup announced last night is subject to change this afternoon, and may not compose the starting squad for Port Arthur, it being asserted by the team's officials that while the game is an opener for the locals, the Athletics Club doesn't intend to lose. Weekly workouts have developed a strong, fast infield, with plenty of pep and ability in the outer skirts of the squad, all of which signifies some fast home talent on the diamond this season to play in Port Arthur.

The game will get under way at 3 o'clock, Will Fort, of Beaumont, having been chosen as umpire for the occasion.

CLARENCE O'MAR WINS MARATHON

Takes Olympic Chance from Fine Field

PORTSMOUTH, April 29.—Clarence O'Mar, Boston printer, won the classic Boston marathon for the fourth time from the finest field that has ever competed in the 26th annual race.

De Mar, who won the Marathons in 1911, 1922 and 1923, trailed well behind the leaders until the 12-mile mark was passed when he increased his speed and took the lead.

By his victory, De Mar qualified for the first place on the Olympic marathon team.

De Mar's time was 2:29:20 1/2, breaking the Olympic record of 2:32:35 1/2 made in Antwerp in 1920 by Hannes Kolehmainen, competing for Finland.

Charles L. Mellor, Illinois A. C., Chicago, was second. His time was 2:35:47 1/2.

Frank L. Wandell, Buffalo, was third. His time was 2:37:41 1/2.

William Churchill, San Francisco, was fourth; Carl Liner, Quincy, Mass., fifth; and Victory McAuley, Windsor, N. S., sixth.

HORNET CAGERS ARE AWARDED SWEATERS

ARLINGTON, Texas, April 29.—While the band played the "Old Gray Mare," the Hornet basketball team of the North Texas Agricultural college "blew into chapel to receive the official letter" of the college and "beautiful blue sweaters" presented "them" by the faculty and student entities. Coach Watson gave a reading of "The Oath of the Old Gray Mare." "You, the following men: Coach Watson, Lester Livingston, Edwin Martin, Gordon Holmes, Bill White, Robert Stanton, Harold Evans, the newly elected captain for next year, made a short and effective speech of acceptance.

TRINITY TIGERS TAKE ONE FROM KANGAROOS

SHERMAN, Texas, April 29.—The Trinity University Tigers defeated the Austin college Kangaroos, 11 to 1, in a slow and listless game, featured by the hitting of the Trinity nine. Morgan of Austin had two bad innings during which the Tigers piled up eight runs. Although supported poorly, Morgan pitched a good game.

DENTON HIGH LOSES TO GAINESVILLE, 4-2

GAINESVILLE, Texas, April 29.—Denton high school baseball team was defeated by the local high nine by a score of 4 to 2. Try Price, twirling ace of the local crew struck out 24 men and allowed six hits.

TYLER BEATS MEXIA IN EXHIBITION GO

TYLER, Texas, April 29.—Tyler defeated Mexia, 4 to 2, in a fast ex-

MACK'S TRIO OF MINOR LEAGUE STARS MADE OVER SEVEN HUNDRED BASE HITS LAST SEASON

By BILLY EVANS
Very often one man makes a good ball club a contender.

The presence of Tris Speaker in the Cleveland lineup in 1920 made that club a pennant winner.



EVANS
statement that if he could get a certain star player he would just about win the pennant.

Connie Mack, famed leader of the Philadelphia Athletics, figures he is going to be in the running this summer. Connie was up with the elect for half the season last year, then his club blew.

The tetrarium Cornelius is out with the opinion that his club is going to run second. He isn't claiming any pennants, but by way of diversion adds that a club able to finish second always has a chance to be first.

Mr. Mack isn't making such claims because of the addition of one star big leaguer. Rather he is basing his predictions on the acquisition of three star bushers, two outfielders and an infielder.

The Athletics blew last season because they lacked a batting punch. That is the theory of Connie Mack and he should know.

To remedy this fault, and add the punch on the offense, he scoured the minors and bought three of the brightest stars.

Mack's three minor league stars,

Mack's Shinning Trio



PLAYER	TEAM	GAMES	SINGLES	DOUBLES	TRIPLES	HOME RUNS
Strand	Salt Lake	194	203	66	13	43
Bishop	Baltimore	159	112	35	10	22
Simmons	Shreveport	168	165	38	13	12
			480	139	36	77

LEFT TO RIGHT—STRAND, SIMMONS, BISHOP

Bishop of Baltimore, Strand of Salt Lake and Simmons of Shreveport and Milwaukee, amassed a total of 732 base hits last season.

The genial Mr. Mack figures that if this trio can spread about two-thirds as many hits over the American League parks this summer, his team will be very much in evidence.

A perusal of the averages of Mack's fencebusting trio from the bushes reveals the fact that they

THOMPSON HAS FAST RECORD

SKILL, NERVE TO FEATURE MATCH

Sensational Matmen in Local Ring Friday

BEGINNING on the mats in college and springing into fame as a possible heavyweight contender. That's the career of six seasons, summer and winter, 23-year-old Mike Thompson, 195-pound grappler from Washington, D. C., has enjoyed. And Mike is still going good.

Friday evening of this week in Elks theatre, Mike meets Paul Jones, the Houston flash, in a finish will.

And the mill promises to be a test of skill versus nerve, brawn versus brawn; nerve versus nerve.

Thompson made a very sensational debut in the sporting realm of Port Arthur Friday evening in the same arena where he will clash with Paul Jones, when he will be battered Rudy Dusek, Nebraska heavyweight, to the floor for victory in the toughest match any local arena has witnessed.

Mike A Country Lad
Born in a little village "up in Ohio," that answers to the name of "Osway," Thompson moved with his family at the age of 13 to Colorado. There he saw and read much about boxers, wrestlers and the like, and had a sneaky yearning to become an athlete himself. His parents sent him to Manhattan, Kans., at the age of 17 to be educated.

"And it was there in school," Thompson relates, "that I started wrestling."

Three years of mat work on the mats in and around Manhattan sent Mike in the field with a gusto, determined to "win or bust" in the biggest class he could break into. He wrestled in Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska and found some trouble in Oklahoma and moved over to the land of "Teapot Dome" seamlans to make his present home.

Then Mike Came South
And then Mike came to Texas seeking more trouble. And found it.

Included on his list of victories are nine over Jack Keller, Sailor Jack McClung, Chet Scales, Paul Hawsky, "Maiche," the champion jitsu wrestler of the local, Pete Barum, George Hill, Henry Beck, John Frye and others. And that includes quite a string of good boys in the mat game.

Thompson took a north bound rattler for Beaumont last night to answer a summons of Promoter Will Fort, who brought the tough American lad to this city. But before he went, he discussed the match of Friday evening against Dusek, and these were some of his remarks:

Has Respect for Dusek
"I think Dusek is a good boy. I believe I can beat him. I don't think he can stand the headlock when it is applied right. I have a longing that sometime we may get together again."

"Yes, it was a tough break, of course, to get knocked out—and I feel that if it hadn't been for that, I would have beaten him Friday night. I know I had him groggy and going my way, at least."

Jones needs little introduction to Port City fans. His name has been on every wrestling follower since he stormed into Houston chewing on a piece of farm straw and he's been creating storms ever since.



Houston grappler faces across sandy stretch. In preparation for coming mill in Port Arthur ring.

SPUDDERS TAKE FINAL CONTEST

Gassers Amass Five Runs in First Round

WICHITA FALLS, Texas, April 29.—The Spudders made it five straight over Shreveport by winning the final game today, 15 to 5.

One of the Shreveport runs came from errors in the first after three chances to retire the side had been lost. The Gassers amass their first runs in the first round.

The Score:

Shreveport	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Donaldson, rf	5	0	0	1	0	1
Zeider, 1b	4	0	1	1	0	1
Riley, 2b	3	1	2	0	0	0
Sullivan, lf	5	1	0	2	0	0
Orr, ss	4	1	1	2	0	0
Harcus, 2b	3	1	1	1	1	1
Sargent, 2b	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lichtrodt, cf	4	1	1	0	1	0
Graham, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
Schilling, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Brewer, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	37	5	6	24	10	2

Wichita Falls—AB, R, H, O, A, E
 Combs, lf 6 1 1 8 1 1
 Fanner, 3b 0 0 2 1 3 0
 Weis, lf 6 1 5 4 0 0
 Fitzgerald, cf 6 2 3 1 0 0
 Ferguson, ss 2 2 2 0 3 3
 Callaghan, lf 4 3 3 1 0 0
 White, 2b 4 1 2 5 2 0
 Jonnard, c 4 1 2 7 0 0
 Marmon, p 5 2 2 0 3 0

Score by innings:
 1. 0-0-0
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Yankee Veterans Will Find Combs a Rival

NEW YORK, April 29.—Black Freeman, once a major league star outfielder, now an umpire in the American Association got a great outfielder in Earl Combs of Louisville.

Freeman not only was a fine outfielder in his day but a great hitter. His mark of 25 home runs was a big league record until "Basting Babe" Ruth came along.

"I am inclined to think that those who pick Combs merely as a Yankee substitute this year are going to be surprised," says Freeman.

"He's a great ball player, a whale of a batsman. It's going to be a tough job to keep him from breaking into the Yankee outfield as a regular."

"True, he hasn't a strong arm, but strong arms are no longer a real important asset of an outfielder. Mighty few base runners are thrown out by the outfielders with the lively ball now in use."

"My advice to the veteran Yankee outfielders is to keep plugging or Combs will displace one of them. If he ever gets a chance they will never get him out of the New York lineup."

STEERS ATTACK PATE FOR WIN

Dallas Squad Takes Cats To 8-3 Finish

DALLAS, Texas, April 29.—Joe Pate went to the well once too many times today and the Steers hammered him all over the lot, winning 8 to 3.

St. Louis took four of four from the champion Cats. The score:

St. Louis	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Calvo, cf	5	1	3	0	0	0
Sears, lf	4	1	0	0	0	0
Recher, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Kraft, 2b	5	1	1	0	0	0
Palmer, 2b	4	0	1	1	0	0
Foss, 3b	2	0	0	1	0	0
Taverner, ss	3	0	1	0	1	0
Bashoff, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Pate, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
Johns, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	24	12	4

Dallas—AB, R, H, O, A, E
 Rader, ss 2 0 0 0 3 2
 Wheat, c 1 0 0 4 0 0
 Wingo, 1b 4 1 1 13 0 0
 Connolly, 2b 3 1 0 0 1 0
 Vuelo, cf 4 0 1 3 1 0
 Griffin, lf 4 3 1 4 0 0
 Segrist, 2b 3 1 2 4 0 0
 Lovelace, rf 3 0 2 2 0 0
 Adams, c 2 0 1 2 0 0
 Stow, ss 2 0 2 0 1 0
 Love, p 0 0 0 6 0 0
 Morrisette, p 1 0 0 4 0 0
 Conley, p 1 0 0 0 0 0

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APPOINT EVERS AS SOX CHIEF

Succeeds Frank Chance, Who Must Quit Field

CHICAGO, April 29.—Johnny Evers has been appointed manager of the Chicago White Sox to replace Frank Chance, incapacitated by illness.

Chance, who has been ill for a long time, was ordered to California today.

It has been forecast for several months that Chance would not lead the Sox because his condition was too delicate to permit his active participation. Today the doctor told Chance to get to California as soon as possible and Chance decided to obey the order.

CHICAGO, April 29.—Johnny Myers, former middleweight wrestling champion, defeated John Kilonis in two straight falls.

Texas Longhorns Set New Intercollegiate Record In Relays at Lawrence

LAWRENCE, Kans., April 19.—With two records broken and others threatened, the second annual Kansas University relays drew to a close here late this afternoon.

Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., set a new record by winning the two mile relay in eight minutes, 4 9/10 seconds. Nebraska was second and Kansas third.

Northeast high school, Kansas City, running in class B, elapsed the Kansas two-mile relay by negotiating the distance in 8 minutes, 32 3/4 seconds. Last year Cedar Rapids established a record by running the two-mile in 8 minutes, 33 3/4 seconds. Cedar Rapids was second today. Ottumwa, Iowa, third and Oskaloosa, Iowa, fourth.

Texas Wins Again
Texas University set a new intercollegiate record in the medley relay, by negotiating the distance in 7:38 2/5 Notre Dame was second, Kansas Aggies third and Ames fourth.

The relay team, won by Jones of Denton, Jackson of Texas finished second, Graham, Kansas was third and Shotola, Marquette fourth. Distance of Jones was 24 feet, 0 1/2 inches.

Ritchie, Hacker, McNatt and Rees made up the winning Texas team.

MIKE COLLINS DEFEATS CRABS

San Antonio Makes Clean Sweep of Series

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 19.—Mike Collins held Galveston scoreless, allowing one clean hit and three scratches and took a 1 to 0 decision from Joe Gleason in a great pitching duel here today. The victory gave the Bears a clean sweep of the Galveston series. Coleman's three-bagger and Najo's sacrifice fly provided the only run. Gross, whose fielding has been a feature of the series had another sensational day at short. The score:

Galveston	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Whiteman, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Wisterly, 3b	4	0	1	3	2	0
Brown, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Anderson, c	4	0	0	4	1	0
King, lf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Kearns, 1b	4	0	0	1	0	0
Stamm, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Burkett, ss	3	0	2	2	0	0
Gleason, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	32	0	4	24	9	0

San Antonio—AB, R, H, O, A, E
 Najo, lf 3 0 0 0 0 0
 Fuller, 2b 4 0 2 0 1 0
 Rosenhal, rf 3 0 0 1 0 0
 Galloway, 1b 3 0 0 12 0 0
 Myers, cf 3 0 0 1 0 0
 Harold, 3b 3 0 1 2 1 0
 Kearns, 1b 3 0 1 3 1 0
 Coleman, c 3 1 1 2 1 0
 Collins, p 3 0 1 0 3 1

Score by innings:
 1. 0-0-0
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HOUSTON PUTS SKIDS ON TILT

Chase Three Beaumont Hurlers to Showers

HOUSTON, Texas, April 19.—The Houston Buffs made it two in a row by taking the final game here this afternoon from the Beaumont Exporters, 10 to 3, garnering 14 hits and chasing three Beaumont pitchers to the showers. The score:

Beaumont	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Taylor, lf	5	0	1	3	0	0
Skinner, rf	4	1	2	4	1	0
Huber, 3b	5	0	1	1	0	0
Bernsen, 1b	4	0	0	10	0	0
Hansen, cf	4	1	3	1	0	0
Black, 2b	4	0	0	2	4	2
DeViviers, ss	3	0	1	1	3	0
Wirtz, c	4	1	1	2	0	0
Moon, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Baller, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
Falvey, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Simmons, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Stenburgh, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxLothes	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	3	8	24	13	2

Hatted for Falvey in 7th, scratched for Signan in 8th.

Houston—AB, R, H, O, A, E
 Kane, ss 2 1 0 3 1 0
 Compton, lf 5 2 3 1 0 0
 McDowell, 3b 3 2 2 1 4 1
 Gainer, rf 4 1 2 10 0 0
 Monroe, cf 4 1 0 1 0 0
 Hollahan, 2b 4 0 1 0 0 0
 Diamond, c 5 2 3 3 1 0
 Hayer, cf 5 0 2 4 0 1
 Knight, p 2 1 1 2 3 1

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STAR JOCKEY IS OUT

Steve O'Donnell, next to Iraa Parke, the year's outstanding jockey, may not get a chance to show his skill in the east this summer. Steve got in bad during the Tulsa meet, was "set down" and had his license withdrawn. He couldn't stand prosperity.

SOONER AGGIES TIE MISSOURI IN TENNIS

STILLWATER, Okla., April 19.—In the first tennis competition between the two schools, Oklahoma A. & M. college and Missouri university tied in matches won and lost in a two-day tournament, concluded here today, each winning two singles matches and one doubles.



Miss Pryce, the milliner, who lives at the hotel.



Mr. Perkins, the genial proprietor, about to defend a disputed bill for bed and board.

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Ella, the beautiful telegraph operator, who works next door and sends out the night letters to the little wives and sweet-hearts from lonely traveling men.



When prohibition came along and they closed the bar at the Commercial House everybody said "Well, it will be a good thing for poor Mr. Hopewell!" But somehow it hasn't done a thing for poor Mr. Hopewell.



The proprietor's daughter, who once from normal school for a brief vacation.



The chairs in the office showing the shortstop of the ball team and three traveling men eyeing something pretty nifty outside the plate-glass window.



The elderly lady who lives at the Commercial House all the year round has been there ever since they sold the homestead up on Chestnut street. Gets a little tired of the meals and suspects Alpha, the chambermaid, of not dusting now and then.



Oh, those traveling men! What one doesn't think of the next one does.



The young man who works at the toggery shop down street, all set for Sunday dinner.



Oh, the elegant manners of the head waitress as she opens up a folded napkin and hands out the menu card. She works SO hard. In fact the girls say she works TOO hard. She's killing herself.

University of Texas PAAC Team BELIEVE Beaumont Incendiary At 3 P. M.

By BILL ARCHER
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Probable Lineup Today
Management of the club announced last night the following tentative starting lineup for this afternoon: Draughn, 2b; Perkins, 1b; Corley, ss; Fulbright, rf; Earhart, cf; Bolen, cf; Bell, c; Vanderdoes, 3b; Perry, p.

Townsend, Haas, Palmer, Polodina, and Humphries other members of the squad, will be sent into the field during the game. The twirling staff, including Pete Karnaky, another southpaw, Love and Sildens, both right-handers, will probably be called on for duty during the game.

Perry Looks Good
Perry, the lucky chap whose start the fireworks for Port Arthur this afternoon, is a southpaw with plenty of stuff on the ball, and grace in the box, and has raveled a kink in the ball that mystifies. Perry has had a taste of the upper show, and was among the first to come out for the local nine.

Love, Karnaky and Sildens, all in great form this season, and look capable.
Leo Bramley, an outfielder who played in the West Texas League couple of seasons, will probably be the squad during the incoming and will be ready for the counter.

May Change Starters
The lineup announced last night, subject to change this afternoon, may not compose the starting for Port Arthur, it being as by the team's officials that who game is an opener for the local Athletic Club doesn't intend.

Weekly workouts have been strong, fast infield, pep and ability in the squad, all of which has been shown in the last season to play in Port Arthur.

The game will get 3 o'clock, Will Fort, having been chosen as a catcher.

CLARENCE D'MAR WINS MARATH
Takes Olympic Chance Fine Field

BOSTON, April 19--Clarence D. Mar, Boston printer, won the classic Boston marathon for the fourth time from the finest field that has ever competed in the 26th annual race.

MARKETS KANSAS CROPS CHASE POVERTY

Indications State Will Produce Second Greatest Crop
By United Press
TOPEKA, Kans., April 19.—A carpet of green covering the state of Kansas today gave indications of pulling farmers of this state out of the financial hole in which they have been wallowing for five years.

With warm weather and enough moisture to make conditions ideal for the growing wheat all prospects were that on a reduced acreage of 9,000,000, Kansas would produce its second greatest crop.
Experts predict a crop of more than 150,000,000 bushels. This has been exceeded but once—in 1914 when an acreage of 12,000,000 produced 187,000,000 bushels.

Conflicting price movements marked the closing dealings. Allied Chemicals went into new high ground at 70, Brooklyn-Manhattan preferred at 62, American Woolen at 52, and on the other hand, selling took Atlantic floating at 17, a man of 24 points. This weakness affected oil shares Pacific broke then a point to 43 and other active stocks reacted fractionally.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE
NEW YORK, April 19.—Foreign exchange closed higher after the market was unsettled by a rise in the dollar.
Sterling 124 1/2
Paris 100
London 100
Amsterdam 100
Frankfurt 100
Berlin 100
Stockholm 100
Copenhagen 100
Helsinki 100
Oslo 100
Nairobi 100
Lima 100
Buenos Aires 100
Rio de Janeiro 100
Sao Paulo 100
Montevideo 100
Bogota 100
Lima 100
Buenos Aires 100
Rio de Janeiro 100
Sao Paulo 100
Montevideo 100
Bogota 100

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS
NEW YORK, April 19.—The market for Liberty bonds was active and prices were generally higher.
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BED COLLAPSES, ASKS DAMAGES OF \$18,250
DALLAS, April 19.—Mrs. H. J. Krentz filed suit for \$18,250 damages from their landlords and a hotel manufacturer for alleged injuries received when their bed collapsed and they fell out.

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ILLINI WINS
BERKLEY, Cal., April 19.—The University of Illinois track team defeated the University of California in a dual meet here today. Score: Illinois 12-10; California 10-12.

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STAR JOCKEY IS OUT
Steve O'Donnell, next to Ivan Parke, the year's outstanding jockey sensation, may not get a chance to show his skill in the east this summer. Steve got in bad during the 72nd annual meet, was "let down" and had his license withdrawn. He couldn't stand prosperity.

SOONER AGGIES TIE MISSOURI IN TENNIS
STILLWATER, Okla., April 19.—In the first tennis competition between the two schools, Oklahoma A. & M. college and Missouri university tied in matches won and lost in a two-day tournament concluded here today, each winning two singles matches and one doubles.

Baseball Results
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Miss Pryce, the milliner, who lives at the hotel.



Mr. Perkins, the genial proprietor, about to defend a disputed bill for bed and board.

THE SMALL TOWN HOTEL

By W. E. HILL

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Ella, the beautiful telegraph operator, who works next door and sends out the night letters to the little wives and sweethearts from lonely traveling men.



When prohibition came along and they closed the bar at the Commercial House everybody said "Well, it will be a good thing for poor Mr. Hopewell!" But somehow it hasn't done a thing for poor Mr. Hopewell.



The proprietor's daughter, home from normal school for a brief vacation.



The chairs in the office showing the shortstop of the ball team and three traveling men eying something pretty nifty outside the plate-glass window.



The elderly lady who lives at the Commercial House all the year round has been there ever since they sold the homestead up on Chestnut street. Gets a little tired of the meals and suspects Alpha, the chambermaid, of not dusting row and then.



Oh, those traveling men! What one doesn't think of the next one does.



The young man who works at the toggery shop down street, all set for Sunday dinner.



Oh, the elegant manners of the head waitress as she opens up a folded napkin and hands out the menu card. She works SO hard. In fact the girls say she works TOO hard. She's killing herself.

A. D. Rawlinson of Silsbee Named Superintendent of Nederland Public Schools

WILL SUCCEED E. W. JACKSON

Latter Going to Beaumont
To Head Junior High

A. D. Rawlinson of Silsbee, Texas, has been elected superintendent of public instruction for Nederland, succeeding E. W. Jackson.

This information was made public following the conference of school board officials held Thursday evening in Nederland, at which time John M. Morgan was chosen as president of the board for the ensuing year, and J. L. Price elected vice president.

Rawlinson is a man of considerable executive ability, highly educated and thoroughly competent to fulfill the duties requisite to an A-1 leadership such as will fall upon the shoulders of the man replacing Superintendent Jackson, school board officials said. Jackson resigned temporarily upon his election by the Beaumont board of school trustees as principal of one of the two new junior high schools to be constructed at the county seat.

Mr. Rawlinson, it is understood, will come to Nederland to assume his new duties immediately upon the departure of Superintendent Jackson for Beaumont. His office will probably be situated in the new modern high school building being erected in Nederland and which is now practically completed.

Texas Taxicab Tax Held Constitutional

By United Press.
DALLAS, Texas, April 19.—Texas state highway law applying for additional license fees of taxicabs for each passenger capacity was upheld today in a decision handed down here by Ben L. Jones, chief justice of the Fifth Civil Court of Appeals. The opinion was rendered in the case of the Red Cab company against John M. Lowery, Dallas county tax collector.

The same tax provision had been ruled unconstitutional in district court here, at El Paso and Houston.

Order Reconditioning Of U. S. Battleships

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, April 19.—The house naval affairs committee today recommended a naval construction program involving the reconditioning of six first class liner battleships and the building of eight new cruisers. This construction is essential to the proper balance of the navy, the committee's report said.

The battleships were said not to be in condition for actual battle and the cruisers to be necessary on account of the navy's deficiency in this respect.

NEFF SETS DATES
AUSTIN, Texas, April 19.—Additional speaking dates of Governor Neff include Fort Worth, April 21, and Austin, April 26.

Home Furniture Co. To Establish Branch

A branch of the Home Furniture company of Port Arthur will be opened in Nederland in the immediate future, it has been learned from Dr. J. H. Hildlip. Officials of the firm were in Nederland during the past week, it is understood, conducting business investigations.

The new business will be opened in the Hildlip building on Main street, and will carry a complete line of furniture.

KIN CANNON IS GIVEN 5 YEARS

Slayer of Hotel Man Found
Guilty

DUNCAN, Okla., April 19.—Marvin Kincannon, 22, must serve twenty five years in the state penitentiary for the slaying of Al Burch, Marlow hotel keeper, according to the jury verdict returned here today.

Burch was slain last December attempting to defend his negro employee, Robert Journeagan against a mob attempt to force the black to leave Marlow in compliance with an unwritten law against negro residents.

The state demanded the death penalty. Kincannon's plea was based upon self defense and insanity. The jury was out 16 hours.

Black Will Build Home at Nederland

J. L. Black of Nederland has let the contract for erection of a modern six-room dwelling to be constructed in Nederland, W. M. Parker, contractor of that community, will build the house if it is understood.

Port Arthur Ice Co. Establishes Branch

The Port Arthur ice company is erecting an ice station in Nederland on the C. T. Freeman property.

\$2 Treatment Free

If you are suffering from Blood or Nerve Disorders, Rheumatic Stomach, Stomach or Bowel Trouble (Skin Broken out or rough and sore, Sore Mouth or Tongue) Dizziness, Sleeplessness, Loss of Appetite, Weak, Nervous or a General Run-down Condition—write today for our FREE TRIAL OFFER of the Wonderful ARGALAP TREATMENT. Don't take chances. These troubles may indicate that you are suffering from that dread disease—

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Homes Costing \$50,000
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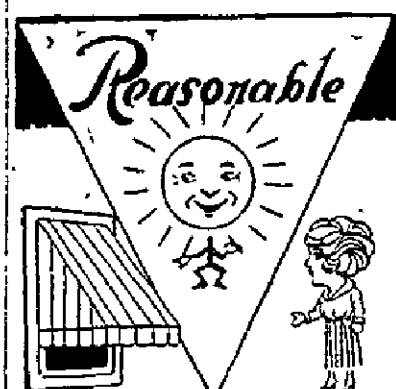
Nederland's population, through the boom which has been in progress for the last six or eight months, has increased approximately 300 persons, it was learned Saturday, while \$50,000 worth of new residences have been erected to house them.

With the rapid development of the community, newer additions and tracts of land are being opened, too, the latest being Hollywood and Humphreys Heights, both of which are already assuming the appearance of little towns of their own.

Telephone Extensions To Be Made Soon

Work of laying telephone wires to the new additions surrounding and adjacent to Nederland, and of erecting a modern exchange within the community will begin as soon as satisfactory phases of the original plan granted Dr. J. Hildlip by the Southwestern Bell Telephone company are ironed out.

W. L. Shannon, district manager of the company, with headquarters in Beaumont, was a business visitor in Nederland during the last week, and indicated construction work will start soon.



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Nederland to Have Chautauqua May 1

With the guarantee of 26 Nederland business men sponsoring the move, Ratcliffe's chautauqua, which played in Nederland recently, has been re-engaged to appear in the community beginning May 1.

Three days of programs filled with entertainment will be devoted to Nederland, it is said, a tent being pitched on a lot near the center of the community during the chautauqua's stay there.

BIRTH AT NEDERLAND
Mr. and Mrs. William Worthing are the parents of a new baby girl.

Nederland P. M. Exams Postponed

Plans to hold an examination for the vacancy of postmaster at Nederland yesterday were called off when the government civil service board announced the examinations probably will not be held for several months.

The office is being occupied at present by John R. Ware, who had announced his intentions of standing the examination.

A. F. Holberg Roy Houston
The Service Garage
General Auto Repairing
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SPECIAL VALUES for MONDAY

Every Items Listed Here is a Real Bargain
Those who take advantage of it will effect great savings.

FOR MEN
Pajama checks union suits that sell regularly for \$1.25 specially priced for Monday at 95c
Men's extra fine hile sox, special for Monday, per pair 25c
Men's new spring shirts with collars attached, specially priced for Monday at 95c

FOR BOYS
Boys' Pajama check union suits specially priced at 68c
Boys' Scott's Level Best Overalls in sizes from 4 to 16, specially priced at \$1.00

PIECE GOODS AT LOWERED PRICES
10 yards of unbleached domestic for \$1.00
10 yards of 36 inch curtain scrim for \$1.00
36 inch Pajama checks, regular 25c values specially priced at per pair 15c
36 inch bloomer satin in colors of white, flesh, gray and blue, specially priced at per yard 74c
36 inch dotted voile in colors of green, cherry, navy, orchid and light blue, specially priced, yard 65c
36 inch voiles in solid colors of white, orchid, pink, light blue, navy, tan and gray, specially priced at per yard 39c

JAPANESE PARASOLS
We have a large assortment of Japanese parasols which will be so popular this summer.
Sizes for children, each 75c
Sizes for misses, priced at 89c and 98c
Sizes for women, priced at \$1.45

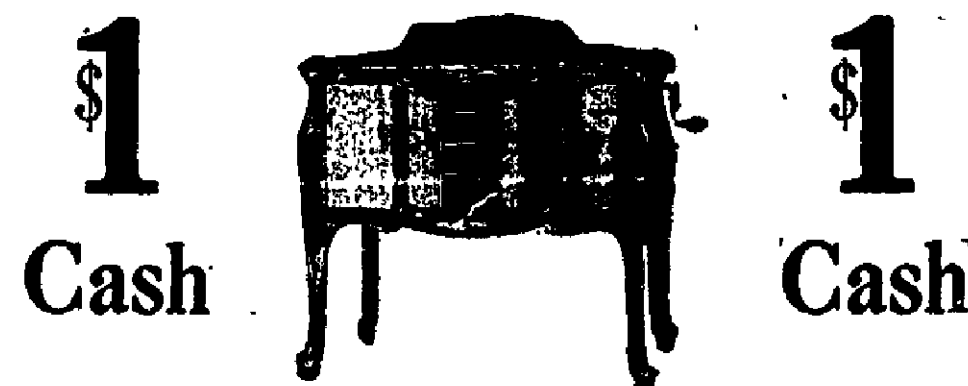
The Model Store
339 Procter

BEAUMONT AUTO CO. WILL OPEN BRANCH

During the last week, representatives of the San Jacinto Motor com-

pany of Beaumont were business visitors at Nederland, announcing during their trip to the community that they were seeking a probable location to sell Durant and Star cars.

DRUGSTORE OPENS
The Twin City Drug company, located in the new Ware building, recently opened for business.



Delivers Any Victrola to Your Home This Week

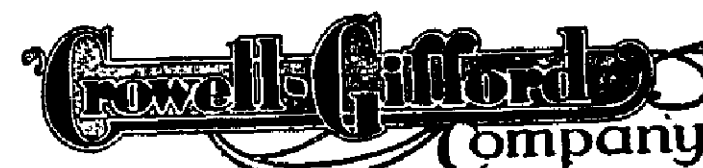
Ten Records to Be Purchased and Paid For With Each Victrola Sold

SHEET MUSIC
All This Week

Two Pieces for 36c
You Pick One We Will Pick the Other One

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15650
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A Most Useful Selling Event for This Time of The Season, Involving Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Standard Brand, Nationally Known Furnishing Goods—

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Summer Unions
Worth \$1.00
Now
69c

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Shirts
Worth \$1.50
Now
95c

\$1.00
Phoenix Socks
Worth 50c a Pair
Now 3 Pairs for
\$1.00

1/2 off
Wool Pants
Worth \$5.00 to \$9.00
Now
\$2.50 to \$4.50

\$1.95
Sure-Fit Caps
Worth up to \$3.00
Now
\$1.95

\$2.85
Straw Hats
Worth \$5.00
Now
\$2.85

\$9.35
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Worth up to \$14.00
Now
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SALE OF SPRING SUITS

Including Hart Schaffner & Marx and Other Standard Makes

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VERY FINE MEN'S SUITS

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OUR FINEST MEN'S SUITS

Reductions on Many Other Items

Haber's
INC.

With each dollar purchase during this sale we will give a ticket to the "Trades and Bargain" prize drawing Saturday, April 26th.

Noble Prize Nominee Has Unique Radio Theory

Big World "Ham" League Planned

HARTFORD, Conn., April 19.—Organization of the radio amateurs of the world has taken on big strides since the return recently of Hiram Percy Maxim, famous inventor and president of the American Radio Relay League.

According to Maxim, the International Amateur Radio League is an assured possibility for the near future. Plans for its organization were completed at the European amateur conference from which he returned.

For some time, amateur radio enthusiasts transmitting on low wavelengths, have been hearing one another across seas and continents. Reports come in to A. R. R. L. headquarters here almost daily of unique long distance reception experienced by American and foreign amateurs. Japan, Australia, the Philippines, England, France, other European countries, South America—in fact, almost all points of the globe are reporting great progress in amateur activities.

From Australia come the offer of a genuine Australia boomerang, representing two-way communications, to the American or Canadian amateur who will be first to establish definite two-way radio communication on amateur wavelengths between New Zealand or Australia and North America.

It is a sign of the unofficial interest of amateurs, which Maxim and others prominent in amateur radio are trying to organize throughout the world.

RADIO ALARM AWAKENS WIFE

Clock Near Microphone Causes Disturbance

COLUMBUS, O., April 19.—A small alarm clock at WJAZ here, recently awakened a wife, taking her to bed, while her husband, who has been tried, judging from the number of letters and cards received. The clock was placed near the microphone for a few moments. Shortly afterward the alarm was sounded. Next day, however, it was found that the clock was not the cause of the disturbance. One man declared that his wife, taking her to bed, while her husband, who has been tried, judging from the number of letters and cards received. The clock was placed near the microphone for a few moments. Shortly afterward the alarm was sounded. Next day, however, it was found that the clock was not the cause of the disturbance.

Review of Books On Radio Subjects

Within the Atom. By John Mills. May be read by the Radiophan with interest for it deals with that infrequent article as associated with electrons, and all chemical and all electrical phenomena. Price, \$2.00.

Experimental Wireless Stations. By P. E. Lohman. Simple directions are given in this book for making radio equipment for the transmission of messages over long distances. Price, \$1.00.

The Radio Amateur's Handbook. By A. Frederick Collins. A new revised edition of this book is just out. It is complete, authentic and informative work on radio. Fully illustrated. Price, \$1.00.

Vacuum Tube Receivers. By O. E. Hessler. A book that tells how to make a simple set. How to make the cabinet. It includes a 27 by 26-inch layout blueprint. Price, 75 cents.

Radio Reception. By Harry J. Marx, technical editor of Radio Illustrated, and Adriaan Van Muffin. A simple treatise on radio reception. Beginning with the elementary principles of electricity it carries the reader on into the essential of radio telephony. The most successful methods of radio reception are explained and special attention given to practical tuning. Price, \$2.00.

The A B C Vacuum Tubes. By E. H. Lewis. It is a book for beginners who have no knowledge of either radio or electricity and sets forth the elementary principles of theory and operation of the vacuum tube. No attempt has been made in this book to describe all the possible circuit arrangements, but those shown may serve as suggestions to experimenters who desire to evolve their own circuits. Price, \$1.00.

The Armstrong Super-Regenerative Circuit. By George J. Ellis, Jr. E. J. This is a de luxe edition of this famous circuit. Profusely illustrated and fully explained. Fifty-two pages. Price, \$1.00.

Radio Operator's Handbook. A pocket course in radio. Every page tells you something useful, and there are 164 pages; hundreds of illustrations and diagrams. It is the biggest dollar's worth in radio, and will save you from wasting money on things that don't work. Price, \$1.

HAWAII HEARS WOG PROGRAM EVERY NIGHT

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., April 19.—A. F. Costa, of Tualuiki, Hawaii, has written Station WJAZ the most successful State Marketing Bureau here, that he has been able to hear WJAZ regularly and clearly. On March 22 and 24 Mr. Costa listened to pre-arranged programs and heard them both loud.

ESPERANTO PROGRAM

Esperanto, the "international language," is being used for broadcasting programs out of some stations. Recently a lecture and songs were delivered in Esperanto and broadcast from Moscow and heard as far as 5000 miles off.

Ships at sea, regardless of nationality, may receive free medical advice from the Thorsen radio station. Faroe Islands.

Revolutionary Ideas Results From Discovery of RX

CHICAGO, April 19.—Set aside your present convictions about radio, its why and wherefore, and listen to the theories of Dr. Calvin S. Page of this city.

Dr. Page has been nominated for the Nobel Prize in physics for 1933, by the Swedish Royal Academy of Science. The work upon which the nomination for this important award is based is his book, Rx, The Life Atom, explaining his theory of a new kind of matter upon which all other matter depends.

Rx, pronounced rex, is the name he gives this mysterious matter, which he says he discovered as far back as 1889.

On his studies of Rx, Dr. Page evolved a peculiar and revolutionary theory about radio.

Climb the stairs to the lone bedroom, third floor rear, of this simple manor, 70-year-old Swedish-born philosopher, and listen to his ready explanation.

First, Dr. Page explains, Rx has the distinguishing characteristics of repelling its own atoms and cohering with varying strength to all other atoms. It's the basis of everything.

Radio Defined

"Radio is the interception of light sound and reproduction of the air sound that generated it."

And the means by which this is made possible is Rx.

Dr. Page scents the idea of the existence of ether. "There is no such thing as ether," he says, and adds, "not one single phenomenon is explained by the ether without breaking known laws and common everyday experience."

This is how he explains radio:

"There are five separate operations in radio. The generation of light-sound Rx on and by the aerial; the catching of the light-sound Rx by the antenna; the multiplication of the feeble force with storage batteries; the reproduction thereof of the air sound that produced Rx; and increasing the loudness of the sound."

Easter Than Light

The speed by which this wireless Rx travels Dr. Page sets at about 224,000 miles a second. This he explains as follows:

Light traveling at 186,000 miles a second, is represented by a constant bombardment of radio atoms by Rx at this velocity. This is kept up even while the receiving apparatus is not in use, or is not tuned in. Therefore, the tuning-in process needs a much higher rate of bombardment than 186,000 a second, in order to produce a result in the phonos.

Rx, the peculiar "life atom," is the means for radio transmission, Dr. Page goes on. We speak of radio frequency carrier waves. But it must be understood that they do not leave the aerial. They produce the real carrier waves that speed through space, which are not really waves but Rx atoms moving in straight lines independently of each other, and it is their relative distances apart that actually produce the voice, sound, the real phenomena of radio. Their frequency is frequency of the diaphragm which spaces the transmitting Rx atoms.

Some Definitions

Dr. Page continues with his revolutionary ideas about radio, in defining some of the terms related to this science. Here are some of his definitions:

"ANTENNA—A Rx-coated, high tension wire which makes it a continuous and perpetually charged electrical battery. The light-sound Rx striking it keeps it in action."

"CONDENSER—This should have been named 'multiplier' for it positively does not condense the feeble impulses received by the antenna but multiplies it thousands of times and preserves the electricity."

"TUNING-IN"—It is generally understood that "tuning-in" consists in placing the sending and receiving sets in unison, which is incorrect. Tuning-in is bringing impulse-producing



DR. CALVIN S. PAGE

Began Early

First steps in the invention of wireless may be traced as far back as 1889, when Professor Hertz first produced high frequency electric oscillations and pointed out that the discharge of a condenser is oscillatory.

More, an inventor of the telephone two years later made wireless experiments by electric conduction through water.

In 1887, Professor Hertz was awarded a United States patent for wireless apparatus in connection with which he said "electrical communication, using this apparatus, might be established between points certainly more than one-half mile apart but how much further is not known."

Edison in 1887 took out a patent on long distance wireless telegraphy.

But it was not until the discovery of Hertz, in 1887, that electromagnetic waves are in complete accordance with waves of light and heat, that a big advance was made in radio signaling.

In 1897, Marconi established wireless communication over a distance of four miles.

parts of the receiving set into unison with each other so that they will assume their quiescent condition before impulses without oscillations. It is only slightly, if at all, concerned with the sending set.

"TUNING-OUT"—Placing the sending and receiving sets in connection but not in unison, for the distinctive of the message is secured by the unison of the receiving set itself."

W.O.R. TRIES ITS FANS ON MENTAL TELEPATHY

NEWARK, N. J., April 19.—Much discussion transpires among psychologists and others over the question whether thought transference or mental telegraphy exists, and most scientists who have given the question serious thought are inclined to believe that it does exist.

The results of the recent telepathic test tried at WJAZ, now WGN, Tribune-Zenith station, Chicago, have led station W.O.R. of this city to try the experiment on eastern listeners. In conjunction with J. Mahalan, a noted psychicalist, W.O.R. recently wrote its listeners an opportunity to participate.

Letters and telegrams are still coming in and figures are not as yet available on the success of the stunt. The tests given, were in many ways, similar to those used at WGN.

DISTANT INTERFERENCE

Amateurs in the New York district have received a complaint from their brother "hams" in California and Oregon against their transmission. The western amateurs say the easterners have been interfering with their local work.

NEWS FROM TRAVELERS

Broadcasting station WTAM Cleveland, is getting reports from listeners in on ocean liners, both on the Atlantic and the Pacific. And even a traveling salesman in Texas wrote in about joys of receiving the covert programs from this station.

ONE-TUBE RECORD

The London, Eng., owner of a one-tube receiving set with an indoor aerial of only 20 feet reports he heard KOKA, Chicago, recently. His set was originally built for local broadcast reception, he says.

BARRIERS NO BARRIERS

Natural barriers in the Yosemite Valley proved to be no barriers at all in the reception of radio messages recently. Kenneth Hughes, radio experimenter, reports he was able to receive messages although in a valley 3000 to 5000 feet deep.

WBZ MAN GETS NEW LOUD SPEAKER

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., April 19.—Arthur A. Elsmann, program director of station WBZ here, was recently secretly married to Lois E. Goldmann of Youngstown, O. A combination brass and funeral band greeted him on his return, news of the wedding having arrived first.

First set requiring use of radio on passenger-carrying vessels was approved June 24, 1910.

Great Britain now has about 550,000 licensed broadcast listeners.

TUNED RADIO-AUDIO CIRCUIT PROOF AGAINST OSCILLATION

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Radio frequency amplification is no proof against local oscillation. But tuned radio frequency is—and even this to a certain extent.

For a good three-tube set, with a stage of radio and one of audio frequency amplification, therefore, it is advisable to use a tuned inductance rather than a radio-frequency transformer in the plate of the first tube and a similar inductance in the aerial circuit.

This is the principle upon which the week's hook-up is based. To insure further against any possible squeals or howls, a potentiometer is placed across the filament circuit of the radio-amplifying tube. The result is a stable, radio-audio frequency amplifier with practically no loss in selectivity and volume.

The parts of this set include:

Two fixed couplers of 1 to 4 ratio.
Two variable condensers, 12-play.
One audio-frequency transformer, 4 to 1 ratio.
Two 600-ohm theostats.
One 400-ohm potentiometer.

These tube sockets.
One variable grid leak and condenser.
One single circuit phone jack.
No. 14 copper wire for connections.

Cost Is Low

This, excluding tubes, batteries and loud speaker, should not cost more than \$20.

Two fixed couplers in the aerial and in the first tube's plate circuit are exactly alike. They can be made as follows:

On a tube 1 1/2 inches in diameter by 2 inches high, wind 15 turns of No. 22 DCC wire. Wind 60 turns of the same wire, the same way, on another tube of slightly larger diameter and 3 inches long. Fit the smaller winding into the larger tube by bracer, or screw, so as to keep them in permanent relationship to each other.

Repeat this with the other inductance.

The connections are made as shown in the diagram. They should be as short and direct as possible.

The best way to connect these inductances is to attach each to its condenser by a brace. Care should be taken that the inductances are at right angles to each other.

Thirteen-plate condensers have been found of best advantage in this hook-up. Their capacity would be around .00025 mfd.

Double Duty

One rheostat of 6 ohms resistance is used for both radio and audio amplifying tubes, and a similar rheostat is employed for the detector tube.

The grid leak should vary between 1 and 2 megohms and the grid condenser should have a capacity of about .0005 mfd.

The regular sound No. 14 copper wire is advised for the leads, instead of the rectangular bus wire, because the square edge of the bus wire is conducive to radiating losses.

This set is best adapted to the use of UV-200 tube for detector and UV-201-A tubes for the amplifiers.

The phone jack and the primary of the second radio frequency inductance may be connected to the positive of a 45-volt B battery, although this may be increased to 45 or even 60 volts, if more volume is desired. With the increase in voltage, it must be remembered there comes a sacrifice in selectivity.

The tuning of the set depends almost wholly on the two condensers, whose highest efficiency will be found at almost similar readings. But the potentiometer comes in for extremely useful assistance in this respect. A small inductance in the phonos, once this is taken care of, however, it will be found that the set will work well without further adjustment.

NEW "NETWORK"

A new "network" of large broadcasting stations is being contemplated for Europe, America and the Far East. The first big network has been completed at Saigon, French Indo-China. It can communicate direct with Bordeaux, a distance of 6,000 miles, with the Umanians in between.

CIRCUS BROADCAST

Children far away from the circus to open soon in New York will have an opportunity to listen in on them if they have a receiving set. Stations WJZ, New York, and WGY, Schenectady, have arranged to broadcast the grunts and roars of the animals when the circus opens on April 10.

WHEN DO THEY SLEEP?

Night Owl or Night Hawk clubs are forming all over the country for the reception of late programs from distant broadcasting stations. Because of the difference in time this is the only way easterners have of listening in on coast programs.

WDAF REACHES OUT

Along with other powerful broadcasting stations that find pleasure in reports of fans from foreign lands, WDAF, Kansas City, claims considerable success in its program as heard as far south as Los Angeles, 4,500 miles away.

INVENTIONS SOUGHT

Preparatory to the first world radio show next September, radio authorities are making an extensive search for unknown wireless inventions of all sorts. At the same time they are planning important experiments and tests of new radio inventions and theories.

RADIO SUPERSTITION

A new superstition is going the rounds especially through the farming population of Europe. It is the belief that radio is responsible for thunder and lightning. The result is an opposition to the growth of radio in Europe.

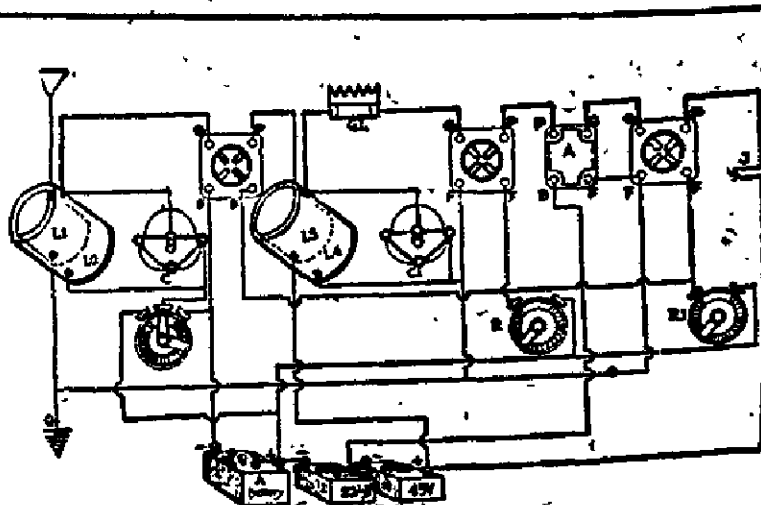


DIAGRAM OF THE RADIO-AUDIO-FREQUENCY SET DESCRIBED HERE.

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(By Courtesy of and Copyright 1934 By Radio DeLish Co.)
(SEE INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE BELOW)

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THE MESSENGER

The Story of a Girl
Who Tamed
Once Too Often
With the Truth.

"O God the Father, have mercy upon this miserable sinner!" Shirley liked especially this part of the prayer, the always tried sincerely to concentrate upon her prayers, and managed as a rule to keep under fairly good control even-temper of her thoughts. The most drastic this particular morning was deciding that the new dress in the choir had an extremely wide profile; that she must remember to get some red candles for grandfather's birthday cake; that she must be firm and not allow Elliot to sweep her into matrimony before autumn; and that the response she was murmuring with so much fervor was rather strikingly inappropriate to a certain member of the congregation.

Though her offering, Shirley in all honesty would have disclaimed with horror this last reflection; she was sincerely unaware how largely it contributed to that pleasant sense of well-being in which she was innocently basking. Certainly it was difficult to conceive of misery—well-nigh impossible to do—in connection with Shirley. Each time she besought mercy from Heaven a flicker of amused, infinitely tender indulgence crept into Grandfather Wayne's eyes, still fiercely blue despite his eighty years, into Grandmother Wayne's, faded and dove-colored like Elliott Monroe's, worshiping and proudly proprietary into the admiring gaze of that portion of the congregation fortunate enough to command a view of Shirley at prayer. Even the old doctor's glance lost something of its spiritual aloofness and softened patchily before the golden haired young singer in the Wayne pew whose twenty sweet years had known so far only sunshine.

Shirley, grave eyes intent before her, struggling to commune with her Maker, was nevertheless happily conscious of what they were all thinking of the affectionate admiration waited toward her from every part of the church. For Shirley Wayne was more than the prettiest and most admired girl in Rutherford; she was an institution. Mothers held her up to the wayward daughters as an example of the fact that a girl could be popular without smoking, drinking, rouging, and joy riding. Men not only lost their heads over her beauty but revered her as the one ideal in a postwar world. People had a way of getting down on their knees before Shirley and at the same time bending over her protectively to shield her from any untoward jostling on the part of a thoughtless universe. She was at once Rutherford's saint and its happy, fortune-kissed child.

Against this rose hued background Shirley prayed enjoyably. She could not have told what malign impulse dragged her eyes suddenly from the altar to meet Ted McAllister's smiling, scrutinizing gaze the other day when she could explain the curious jotted feeling with which a moment later she returned, rather flushed, to her devotions. It was not that she gazed in his gaze her accustomed homage; no one ever expected Ted McAllister to be on his knees before anything or anybody. But there had been something in his look which had aroused unaccountably a resentment wholly alien to Shirley's gentleness—as if he had lifted some secret curtain of her heart and uncovered something he and she alone knew; something which amused him, which.

All during the rest of the service she groped for the missing word, and later in the afternoon again pursued it as she rummaged the little red candles into grandfather's birthday cake. Elliot had with difficulty been lassoed to the veranda, entertaining grandfather and grandmother, while Shirley, alone in the sun, pressed kitchen, prepared the place de resistance of grandfather's celebration. She had just panned, quite victoriously for Shirley, Ted's name on the gay little place card. He had been a neighbor too many years to omit him now. At the tender age of five hours he had been introduced to grandfather, and had been condescendingly aware of Shirley's existence since she had first appeared, an orphaned toddler, to live in the huge white house on the hill. During her childhood and early girlhood they had been on wholly amiable terms, though Ted had never, she reflected now, acted in the least as a schoolmate in books or play. He had toward Shirley, like a chance acquaintance, had never pulled her to school on his sled, carried her books for her, fought her battles, or pledged her juvenile troth with a brass ring. "Lovers' vows and small girls were of equal indifference to Ted. But he had always been kind and telling her the best way to send her an occasional postcard from Yale, taken her riding when he came home for his holidays, given her from time to time stern older brotherly advice. He had been her first grown-up confidant, appearing disinterestedly the evening she arrived home from Susan's.

"It's so nice of you to run in this way," Shirley had thanked him, and he had responded with Tedlike frankness: "Run in! You've got the wrong verb, my child. Drugged in, you mean. Mother brutally insisted on it. I think, if he won't stay too long and if you promise not to use more than five hundred superlatives during the evening."

"I'll cut down on them, if you'll promise not to talk about your stupid old law," Shirley had assured him merrily. They had got on famously that evening—the rest of the winter, in fact. Shirley had not resented at all Ted's standing disdainfully outside the large circle of admirers who were spoiling Rutherford's stationery with bad sonnets to a golden-haired saint with haunting gray eyes. Ted was notoriously woman-proof.

"It's not that I care a rap about him, goodness knows. I wouldn't marry him, if he were the last man in the world," was the vindictive feminine verdict of Rutherford. "But O, I'd give anything if I could just make him propose to me!"

It was the next, indeed, of each succeeding crop of debutantes to abuse in public Ted McAllister, to save dances in the hope that he might ask for them, and to don his prettiest gowns on the rare occasion of his calls. Shirley knew Ted too well to waste any ammunition in his direction. He was not her type, anyway. She had told herself, even before Elliot Monroe had appeared, that she would never marry a man who would elude her in one dazzling moment just what that type was. She had enjoyed, however, the intimacy entailed by living next door to the most brilliant young lawyer in the county and had listened to his advice with submissive admiration. She had never minded Ted's caustic remarks, nor his mercurial teasing, feeling the friendliness underneath. "Ted is really kind," was a neighbor and old friend she had been wont staunchly to

defend him. "He adores his mother and couldn't eat for two days after his dog died." But there had been no kindness in Ted's look in church today, nor, as she thought of it now, for some months past. Underneath its customary smiling cordiality lay criticism and—she searched again for the elusive word and in a flash of indignant realization found it—contempt.

It was a stately Shirley, with her chin at an angle it had never achieved before, who greeted her neighbor that evening. Ted, placidly impervious to this glacial reception, had never been more charming—and there was no doubt that Ted could be charming when he chose. Shirley had to unbend during his delightful toast to grandfather. A moment later, however, resentment surged again in her heart. She had just finished an innocent remark to Mrs. Bentley.

"We are all so glad to hear you've postponed that trip to California," she had told her, leaning forward in her pretty, interested way. "We were terrified for fear we weren't going to have Marjorie with us for the party. We never would be able to fill her place."

It was then that Ted had flashed her across the table another of those cryptic glances. She translated it more easily this time, illuminated as it was by a belated remembrance of her laughing recital to his mother of the trials of amateur theatricals.

"If only we could lose Marjorie Bentley!" she had wailed. "There'd be a chance even yet we wouldn't be hissed off the stage. She's so hopeless—and none of us dare tell her so!"

So that was what he thought, Shirley told herself, the rose in her cheek depended to scarlet, her mind a whirl of turbulent, chaotic self-indignation. Just because she had tried to entertain his sick mother, because she was trying now to make poor Mrs. Bentley feel happy, he could form so unkind, so unfair a judgment. The serpent wriggling into Eden produced no greater upheaval than this first breath of hostile criticism in Shirley's love warm world. She swept the table in piteous search of champions. There were ten staunch ones ready at hand—defending her against Ted's silent accusation in every admiring glance smiled over at her. It was grandfather's celebration, but Shirley was always the golden heart. How could they all give her this love and approbation if she were really the self-satisfied, insincere creature Ted seemed to think she was? Her face aker mounted slowly throughout the dinner. Ted recklessly continued to cast new fuel upon it.

"Yes, mother brought me into going to church this morning," he was saying now in answer to congratulations upon this unusual occurrence. "I've felt depressed all day in consequence. Church always makes me melancholy. I don't enjoy confessing my sins as much as Shirley does. The last thing in the world I want is to call heaven's or the public's attention to them."

It was then that Shirley picked up deliberately the challenging glove he had twice that day flung at her feet. After dinner she resolutely placed herself beside Ted in the window seat, where they could talk undisturbed under the inharmonious cover of Mrs. Gilchrist's singing. An innocent remark of grandfather's served to precipitate hostilities.

"My little Shirley sees me always through rose colored spectacles," he had smiled in answer to one of Shirley's charming compliments.

"You must have rose colored ear drums as well as spectacles," Ted mused as Mrs. Gilchrist's shrill voice ascended. "Why in thunder do you always urge that woman to sing? You know she can't."

"Because I also know it gives her pleasure," Shirley had fired her opening shot.

"And you are willing to pay any price for that?"

"What price do you mean?" she demanded.

"The truth," he responded grimly. "Say, I'm agreeable to this and telling the truth. I don't always walk hand in hand, do they?" More than once before he had given her with brotherly frankness a home thrust delivered from the immense advantage of twelve years' seniority. This one, however, was different, unsoftened by Ted's usual any kind of smiling with an amused nod. Shirley went white under its sincerity. It was one thing to be warned of possible peril; quite another to be accused of an ignoble fault of which you are completely innocent.

"In your profession," she told him, trying to steady her voice, "doesn't the motive underneath make a lot of difference? Don't you see, it's just because I love the truth—because grandfather is old—and Mrs. Gilchrist can't sing—and Marjorie Bentley is

a hopeless stick—that it means just that much the more to be told the opposite? If that's lying—and that's what you're trying to tell me, isn't it?" she challenged him bravely—"it seems to me it's worth it, to have such innocent happiness for people one loves."

"All the same, through rose colored glasses one can't see truly—and that's the biggest thing in life—to see true," Ted reiterated doggedly. "Truth's a damned hard taskmaster, you know—won't stand any fooling with," he dropped suddenly back into the old chafing tone. "Whether we hand out bouquets to gladden praise starved hearts, or whether we know that Rutherford loves us best with our rose colored spectacles on, and we enjoy above all things having Rutherford on his knees."

"O!" choked Shirley, too outraged for speech.

"Better take 'em off, Shirley, before you get permanent rose colored astigmatism," was Ted's final lash. "If you'd just step off for a minute from that pedestal Rutherford's heaped you up on, and take off that halo they've jammed on to your head, you'd see what I mean."

Opportunity, at that moment Shirley could cross the room and bend over the music rack to hide the tears she could no longer keep back. Perhaps Ted surmised this, for later she apologized with a disarming boyish penitence.

"I keep forgetting that you are a little over ten and nearly Mrs. Elliot Monroe," he told her with a smile which usually won forgiveness for his most ruthless frankness. He

ruined all chance of pardon, however, by adding, "And even I am bound to confess the halo is becoming."

In the solitude of her own room Shirley at first went bitterly, like a heartbroken child, under it first blow. Later anger effectually dried her eyes. Why should she waste a single tear on anything Ted McAllister might say, when a man like Elliot Monroe thought her perfection! The best punishment she could give Ted was to forget his words completely, she decided, as she curled herself for sleep. After tonight she would arrange matters so she should never have to talk to him again.

In that, however, she was reckoning without James Cassidy, Esquire. It was shortly after three o'clock that same night when Shirley first made his acquaintance. She had awakened with a vague sense of disaster to a terrifying realization that a sinister figure was bending over her dressing table, the lower part of his face muffled to a black blur, his hand closing greedily over the Wayne portrait grandfather had given her on her last birthday.

"If you ever see a burglar," grandfather had answered once an anxious inquiry of hers on this subject. "Keep your eyes closed, don't make a sound, and let him take anything he wants."

With the dreaded emergency actually at hand, however, Shirley, for all her forethought, found herself unable to apply the first aid she had been recommended. Her soft voice discovered suddenly unexpected resources, and lifted itself in a shriek which would have done credit to a New York huckster.

The unwelcome visitor, clutching the pearls, took a threatening step toward the bed. But he had made a fatal miscalculation in regard to opposing forces. "An old man, an old woman, and a girl in that part of the house," he had summed them up contemptuously. Age, however, though it had whitened grandfather's hair and weakened his knee joints, had been as yet wholly unable to make any inroads upon his impetuous courage. Not for nothing had he been dubbed in youth "Dare-devil Wayne." Barefooted, in the night shirt of a generation ago, oblivious of his eighty years, the old colonel hurled himself into the room in instant answer to that beloved cry. The intruder was waiting for him behind a loaded revolver, but grandfather had never yet stopped in the middle of a charge. Grandmother was screaming for help quaveringly from her window. Shirley, rigid against her pillow, could only watch, paralyzed with horror, as he plunged toward that round, menacing eye marking his heart. The enemy, flinging up his hand, played his last desperate card and fired into the air; then grandfather was upon him, fighting with all the strength of love. But even that could not prevail against a handicap of fifty years; a moment later the old figure lay still

upon the floor, and the burglar, vaulting to the piazza, swung himself down victoriously into the waiting arms of the excited neighbors below.

Great Bill, the inner stronghold of aristocratic Rutherford, awoke next morning amazedly to find itself notorious. Much as it disapproved in theory of the midnight resting upon its exclusive precincts. It was humanly frail enough to enjoy the unwanted excitement. Even Shirley found the aftermath of a burglary quite agreeable as she related dramatically to an absorbed audience the events of the night before. Honorably she made grandfather and grandmother the hero and heroine of the episode; there was nothing Shirley liked better than, secure on her own pedestal, to fling down roses upon her adorers below.

"It wasn't just grandfather's daring to wrestle with the creature that way," she explained proudly, "but his going ahead right in the face of that loaded revolver—pointed straight at his heart—flinging himself on it—absolutely unflinching."

"Acted like a damned fool," grandfather, his head pitifully banded, admitted shamefacedly. "Got entirely too skittish for my years. Justification is no sport for the aged. The truth is, I saw red when I thought that second was hurting Shirley. I don't remember another thing that happened until I felt my venerable bones strike the floor."

If the dining room had furnished thrills, they dwindled to ciphers beside those provided by the courtroom. Shirley had been awaiting her appearance in the witness stand with a mingling of anticipation and

dread. She enjoyed drama of any description, and she had a delightful new gown and hat for the occasion, on the other hand, in stories and plays witnesses seemed always to be having a rather hard time of it.

"Will they heckle me?" she inquired fearfully of grandfather and Elliot, as they waited with her in the somber hall of the courthouse her summons to the trial. "In stories they are always heckling the witness—being impudent to them and objecting to everything they say. Will they treat me like that?"

Grandfather and Elliot exchanged the look she always particularly enjoyed—as older people smile in secret over the head of a beloved child.

"I don't believe any one is going to heckle you," Elliot remarked with eloquent significance. "And I'm sure no one will object to you."

It was quite evident from the beginning of Shirley's testimony that nobody did. Knowledge alleviated the shock of her first introduction to the mysterious workings of the law. She had envisioned a great, dignified room; an impressive, black robed, white wigged judge; on one side the prisoner trembling in his dock, and on the other herself, in the new gown and hat—a solitary, graceful figure facing a sea of expectant faces.

One by one these interesting details were rudely washed out of her picture. The courtroom itself was dingy beyond belief; Shirley's horrified gaze took instant note of the paint peeling from the ceilings; of the large stain in the ceiling; of the cracked water pitcher in the corner. The judge, bald headed and in a gray business suit, lounged negligently at a shabby desk; the prisoner, wholly casual and unconcerned, was comfortably seated beside his attorney; there was no dock, and witnesses, it seemed, paradoxically sat in the witness stand—wedged in at that between a stoop shouldered old man writing busily in a book and twelve singularly unprepossessing looking individuals who faced upon her a weary, lack luster gaze.

The last glimmer of romance departed when, instead of kissing reverently the Bible she was ordered by a bored young man to hold up her right hand and "to tell the truth—the whole truth and nothing but the truth—she-may-me!"

It was all most disillusioning, but beyond the mutilated railings broke a foaming line of filmy dresses and lace parasols—Rutherford's Four Hundred defying the heat to hear Shirley testify. It might prove an interesting afternoon after all, Shirley decided, especially after she had noted that the vacant eyed jury, adamant apparently so far to golden hair and a Lichtenstein hat, was rousing slowly from its apathy as she began to speak. Of all her many weapons, the greatest failure. As she stated her name and residence a distinct masculine flutter agitated the courtroom. Only the prisoner and a

certain gray coated, straight backed individual in the front row, gazing indifferently before him, with his mouth set in a hard, uncompromising line, remained unaffected by it. Even the prosecuting attorney began disclaiming a rampant cockle.

"I am going to ask you, Miss Wayne, to tell us in your own words just what did happen that night," he suggested ingenuously.

So Shirley in her soft, appealing voice told them, simply and graphically. Grandfather had been able to give only a vague and confused account of proceedings; grandmother had not been in the room during the struggle; Shirley was the important witness for the prosecution. Unexpectedly she made the scene live before a breathless audience, pointing with tender, vivid strokes the gallant old figure which had rushed with such splendid impetuosity to her rescue. It was a masterly piece of evidence—so masterly that the prosecuting attorney left it to produce its own effect, and without a comment turned over his witness to the defense.

So far Shirley had quite enjoyed proceedings, with the exception of an unpleasant moment when she had had to identify the prisoner. She had not liked that, and had quite forgotten her audience as she turned her gentle, pitying gaze upon the impassive Cassidy. Her reluctance to send him to the task he so evidently deserved, her awful "Yes—I am sure that is the man," softened even the judge's eyes.

The lawyer for the defense rose slowly to his feet. He was a slender little man, with intelligent, singularly sad eyes set deep in a lined face. Shirley had heard of him from her grandfather. "Usually a shyster lawyer takes a case like this," the colonel had explained. "But Beresford is of different caliber. He's a gentleman and a sterling chap. His hobby is defending criminals who haven't money to pay for a good lawyer. They say he had a son who died in the penitentiary, and that is the reason he wants to help out these poor devils."

Shirley had liked him for that. She liked him still more when he addressed her in his pleasant, deferential voice. This nice man would never heckle anybody, she told herself in relaxed content.

"I understood you to testify, Miss Wayne, did I not, that as Colonel Wayne entered your room, the defendant leveled a pistol at him?"

"Yes," Shirley answered.

"That your grandfather rushed upon the defendant and struggled with him; that during this struggle he knocked up the defendant's hand so that the pistol was discharged in the air?"

"Yes," Shirley repeated. How fussy they were in law about unimportant things, she commented inwardly.

"Now, are you absolutely certain, Miss Wayne," Mr. Beresford asked her earnestly, "that that shot was fired after your grandfather had flung himself upon the defendant?"

"Wasn't it, rather, the defendant himself who—just before Colonel Wayne grappled with him—fired into the air of his own free will—merely to frighten away his assailant?"

With his words rushed into Shirley's mind a gripping memory of the immense relief of that unforgettable moment when the terrifying writ, leveled at grandfather's heart had flung itself up in sudden merciful reprieve. Daring forever the entrance of her testimony stood inexorably the story she had retold so many times these last few weeks. If that in itself were not enough, in the front row of spectators sat Ted McAllister, meeting her eyes at this crucial moment with that same hard, mocking challenge he had sent her across a church aisle one Sunday centuries ago.

It seemed to Shirley that it lasted hours—that swift, unexpected struggle in which conscience and vanity were suddenly locked. Even the trained ear of the lawyer, however, was unable to detect any faintest hesitation in her steady answer.

"No. It was grandfather who knocked up the pistol into the air."

The rest of the afternoon was a vague blur to Shirley. Detached fragments of the trial forced themselves from time to time upon her attention: the ripple of laughter, the chauffeur's broken English brought forth; Mr. Beresford's earnest voice still valiantly pleading Cassidy's innocence of any intent to kill; "Gentlemen of the jury, I ask you, if the defendant had had any desire to shoot Colonel Wayne what better opportunity could he have possibly wished than that given when the colonel stood defenseless in the doorway? Yet, he did not shoot then—"

But even proofs would have had to put up a hard fight against the state's witnesses, reinforced as they were by the colonel's testimony by grandmother's eyewitness, by Shirley's charm. It was, in the prosecuting attorney's opinion, a highly satisfactory afternoon.

Shirley and James Cassidy did not altogether share this opinion.

"Law is funny, I think," she remarked with careful casualness when she got home. "What earthly sense was there in that lawyer's harping on the exact moment that old pistol was fired? What possible difference could that make?"

"Just a difference of seventeen more years in the pen for J. Cassidy," Charlie Travers had assured her blithely. "He'd have drawn only two or three years for just a plain common garden burglary; that playful attempt to kill cost him a mere seventeen more."

Grandfather and Elliot later expressed their sentiments freely in regard to this statement. "Don't you know that a girl as sensitive as Shirley would be bound to take a thing like that to heart—that it would worry her terribly?" Grandfather had stormed to the crestfallen Travers.

There was no doubt that something was worrying Shirley. Her laugh lost its joyousness; the somest inspiring eyes grew haunted as well as haunting. Grandfather and Elliot, fervently cursing Charlie Travers, held anxious consultations about her health. Grandmother's opinion was that she was upset by her approaching marriage. Girls were often like that—no matter how much in love they might be. She tried several times with delicate, old fashioned circumlocution to reassure the child.

But Shirley unbowed herself to no one. Through those long watches of the night with which she was becoming so despairingly familiar she planned confession after confession—only to come back always to the same thought. It was impossible. She couldn't strike home like that to grandfather, to grandmother, to Elliot, to all these people who loved her so deeply and believed in her so utterly. Better a thousand times that Cassidy should be sacrificed than they. It was silly to suffer so over a bad man who deserved his fate. The motive behind her lie had been wholly innocent. She had only wanted to give grandfather pleasure—to make him feel a hero despite that birthday he had dreaded. It wasn't as if she herself had gained anything by her deception. She would argue out her case convincingly, her suade herself she had rolled away for good that hideous weight of oppression—and then there it was again with each heavy eyed dawn, crushing her, killing her, wiping every jot of sunshine out of her world. Even the adulation she had lived upon had turned to bitterest gall. She moved about restlessly now upon the pedestal she had so enjoyed, measuring its distance from the ground with sick, terrified glances. And when she played at church no thought of possible admiring glances came between her and the hopeless, anguished petitions with which she was bombarding heaven these days.

"O God the Father in Heaven, have mercy upon us miserable sinners!"

"What would you do if you should find out I wasn't this perfect creature you think I am?" she asked Elliot one day when he had been telling her for the hundredth time what she stood for in his life; "that I had done something you thought wrong—really wicked?"

"What's the use of discussing an impossibility?" he demanded.

"O Elliot, don't be silly!" she flashed back with an irridably incredible in Shirley. "I'm human—of course, I could make mistakes."

It seemed to her that she must scream if Elliot just once more fatuously reiterated her flawlessness. He saved her by this time seriously pondering her question.

"If I lost my faith in you, Shirley," he answered her gravely, "I should—well, there wouldn't be anything left for me. I should lose faith in God and man!"

"That settled it," she told herself with finality as he began that night to toss restlessly searching for sleep. She couldn't tell him—ever!

That, however, was before her visit to the jail.

She had awakened one night with a heaven-sent inspiration. If she could not right Cassidy's wrong she could at least make amends to his fellow sufferers. She would devote her life, she vowed in the darkness, to helping criminals. Every moment of leisure—every cent she could save from her allowance.

It seemed a completely feasible scheme until daylight came with its brutally practical tests. Then she began to lose heart a little. But she would not let escape without a struggle this one hope of comfort. As soon as breakfast was over she paid an early morning call on Jessica Saunders.

Jessica, cheerful and plump, a head weight in society, was deep in social work. The debutantes regarded her as a hopeless high-brow, and—such worse—a noble soul; Shirley alone had gone out of her way at teas where Jessica was still occasionally strangled to speak a friendly word to her, and had even tried to share with her at dances reluctant partners.

It was bread cast upon the waters. Jessica, all eagerness and interest, listened now to Shirley's pretty plea of weariness at nothing but good times—of desire for service.

"Couldn't I help people in this way?" Shirley asked. "Ever since we had that burglary I keep thinking perhaps if that poor man had just had a chance—didn't there something one can do to help men like him?"

There was much, it seemed, and in an evil hour for Shirley, Jessica promised to let her know the next time she took magazines to the jail.

The day after that visit Shirley confessed to Elliot. They had ridden far out of town into a little green and gold wood they claimed especially for their own. It had known their happiest hours. Shirley would never have believed that in that setting, with her lover stretched at her feet, looking up at her with adoring eyes, life could seem utterly hateful and awry. Not even this golden moment, it appeared, could wipe out those searing memories of hard, miserable faces behind inexorable bars of a boy prone on a dirty cot, his head buried in the arms of that same Shirley, speakingly desolate little world shut out from sun and wind and sky. A great sob shook her unexpectedly, startling Elliot to his feet.

"Why, Shirley," he besought her anxiously, "what is it? What is it, my darling?" She tried brokenly at first to shelter herself behind a headache and nervousness, then, suddenly, to her own amazement, found herself pouring out the bare, unpardonable truth.

To Elliot it was totally unpardonable; that was evident from the first. Perhaps if Shirley had sobbed it out against his shoulder he might have been able to find some mitigating circumstances. But the long months of hidden struggle had worn her out, and she discovered all at once she was at the last lap of her strength, able only to relate unemotionally naked facts, facing Elliot's incredulous horror with expressionless eyes and voice.

Nothing that she had picture of confession (Continued on following page.)



Then grandfather was upon him fighting with all the strength of love.

These Easter Hats Show How Styles Have Changed in These 60 Years



The hat that knocked 'em dead in 1864. The Civil War girl wore an Easter bonnet with a crown trimmed in ostrich feathers and a few flowers. The brim was white silk underneath and black taffeta above.



Miss 1871 found feathers just the thing for Easter, too. A soft burst of white ostrich plumes cascaded down a saucy brim of dark straw, with just enough brim to throw a shadow over the brows.



Only by the widest stretch of the imagination could you call Miss 1881's head adornment a hat. A tiny crown of silk and lace and a few flowers—such was the prevailing style in Easter bonnets in those days.



The tiny hat found favor for a decade or more among the belles of the late 18th century. Miss 1894 is wearing a white silk creation to match her Easter costume, which was white throughout—even to gloves, shoes, parasol and veil.



This style of Easter hat held the stage in 1904, when croquet was a favorite pastime and high pompadours were in vogue. A mere suggestion of feathers, an abundance of flowers and a wide brim of white, edged in black velvet.



Only ten years ago—but Miss 1914 looks out from beneath a hat that would look strange today. Ostrich feathers more than held their own from Civil War days to the outbreak of the World War, as can be seen in this Easter creation.



Miss 1919 was not heartless, but someone killed a bird to adorn her close-fitting hat of black straw. You will notice that, like the girl of today, Miss 1919 modestly hid her ears from view. Now we make the final jump and come—



Right up to date! Here is the spring hat that was worn in Florida during the winter and will be seen in northern cities in April and May. Wintering in the south has tended a little to "ruin the season," but even Miss 1894 wore an Easter hat of white silk.

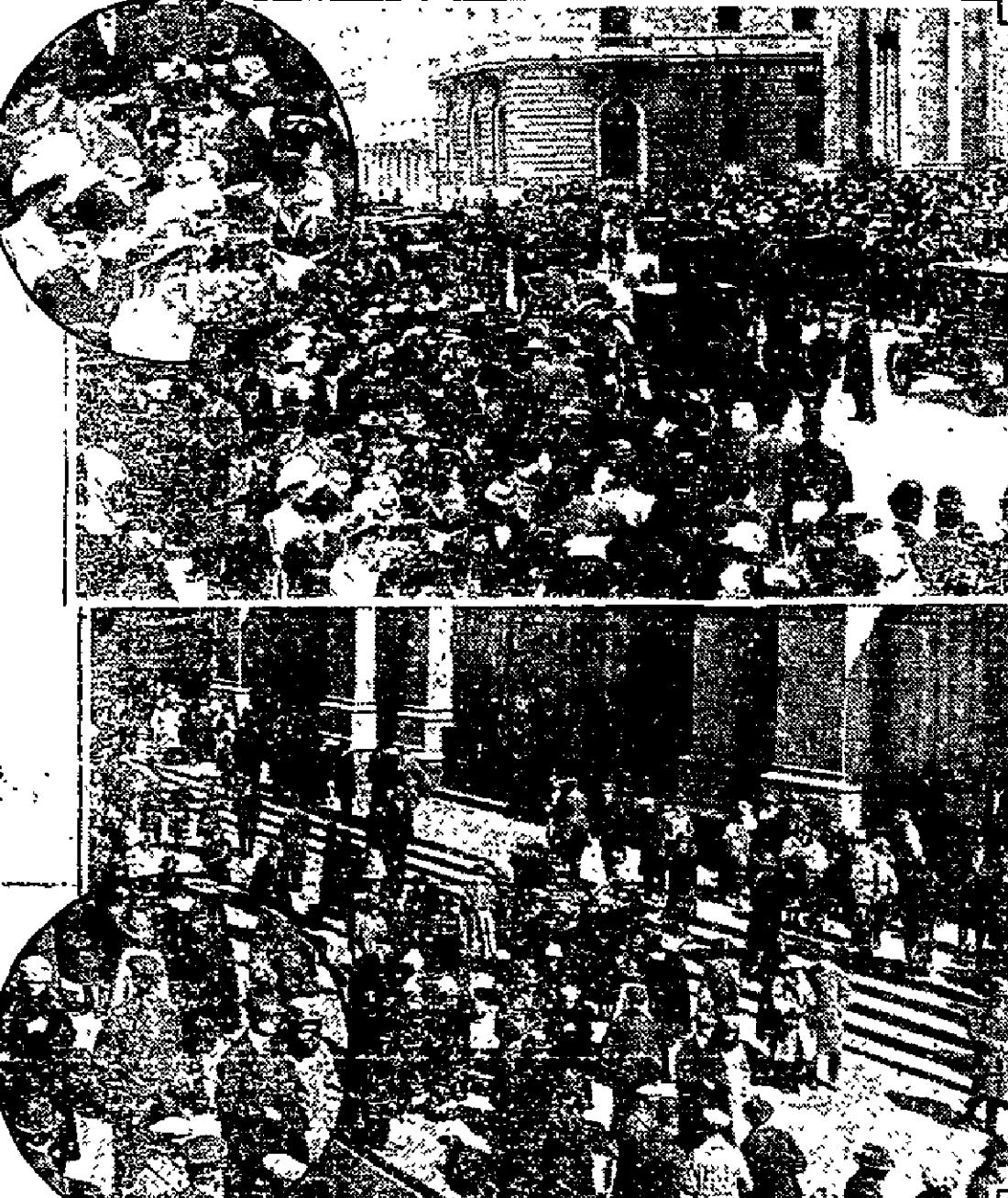
She Knows it Was Bunny Brought the Easter Eggs



Children are very sure that the bunny-rabbit is the Easter egg-bringer. They will argue most earnestly to prove it. But why do we have Easter bunnies, and what relation are they supposed to have to the original Easter idea? Going a long way back, we find that the Easter bunny is an echo of

the old mythology where a rabbit was the fleet-footed messenger sent forth by Bertha, the Ceres, or goddess of agriculture, to the northern world. She sent him to awaken the sleeping plants and animals from their winter lethargy, and to tap the tree-trunks to give signal for the sap to rise in their branches and push out the leaf-buds and blossoms.

The Same Place But Oh, What a Difference



People are not so stylish today as they were 17 years ago. If you don't believe it, study these two pictures. They both show Easter Sunday parades on Fifth Avenue, New York. Both were taken in the same spot, but the top one dates back to 1910 and the other to 1923. The horses and carriages that

traversed the avenue in 1910 have been replaced by the automobile, but what has become of the high silk hats? In the old days, nearly every man wore a silk top hat or a derby, but in the lower picture there isn't a two-quart hat in sight. The women, too, were brighter

clothes in 1910—and more flowers. The people were in less of a hurry and had more time to stop and talk. The two magnified sections show the contrast even more strongly. You'll notice one chap in the 1923 parade who doesn't believe in dressing up at all—even on Easter!

Just 10 Years' Difference, but Just Compare These Styles and Prices



JUST gaze at the change 10 years have wrought in Easter fashions—and prices. Above we have millinery of 1924, resplendent in frock of solid blue taffeta with head embroidery. The dress cost \$40, the wide-brimmed hat \$8, and the two-toned shoes \$6. Now look at the 1914 spring model. She wears a "simple"



little hat adorned with trimmings of kid, and a costume of white crepe de chine finished with brocade black and white trimmings. The hat cost "only" \$25, the dress \$35, the fancy shoes \$14 and the cane \$2. The 1914 costume, complete, set father back \$34, the 1924 model, \$126. It is, to weep!



Easter Morn

Said the fuzzy-wuzzy bunny to the clumsy waddling duck, "Aren't you glad that Easter Sunday morning is here?" "Absolutely," quipped the duckling, "and I feel that I'm in luck. For I'll have to spend the Easter morning cheer." "So will I," peeped forth a chicklet from a cozy little nest. And then they were all quiet as a mouse. For tiny tots were starting, as you surely might have guessed. To search the nooks and corners of the house.

Said a happy little chappie, as he squatted on the floor, "Gee, the Easter bunny sure has brought us luck." And his little sister smiled as she had never smiled before. While she fiddled with a rabbit and a duck. From a lot of hidden corners came the colored eggs and such. And a day of cheer and happiness was born. Whether Mister Easter Bunny's gifts are little or as much, They bring the proper spirit Easter morn!



THE MESSENGER

By Julia Francis Wood

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In her blackest nights surpassed the terrible reality. She had to turn the knife again and again in her open wound as she forced Elliot to accept the fact that she was neither joking nor delirious; it was even harder after his desperate "I can't believe it—I can't believe it," had changed to a bewildered "But why—in God's name, why did you do it, Shirley?" She had asked herself that same question a thousand times the last few months. Now, in her despairing groping to make him understand, she found for herself the answer. "I suppose it was because I had tampered so many times with the truth," she told him. "She's a hard taskmaster; won't stand fooling with—unwittingly she had caught at Ted's words—and so when the bug test came—I failed."

But, try as she would, she could not make Elliot understand the psychology of the weakness Ted had divine so clearly. As expectantly as he had viewed formerly her virtues, he now judged her offense. Shirley, too proud to urge her motive, her ignorance of the law, her remorse, waited in silence his verdict. With feminine intuition she knew she had only—now—to fling herself into his arms, to sob out an appeal for forgiveness, to soften its asperity. Something softer and finer than stubbornness held her back. Now at last—at the end—she would play the game squarely—take her medicine like the soldier grandfather had tried to teach her to be. Something, too, in her feeling for Elliot had died during that cruel half-hour. She was not sure yet just what it was, but until she knew she did not want the old relationship back.

"What am I to do?" she asked him at last, breaking a dreadful silence.

"It's too late to do anything now," he answered with bitter reproach.

"I could tell," she said briefly.

This had been in her secret rehearsals of confession, what she had most dreaded, he

would suggest, had determined she would fight with all the force of her charm and loveliness. Now, incredibly, it was she who was sponsoring the motion, Elliot of the stern integrity who was vehemently vetoing it.

"You couldn't hurt your grandfather and grandmother like that," he asserted sadly. He did not add "and me," but if he had shouted the words they could not have echoed more loudly. "Besides, the man isn't worth it. You heard his record at the trial. He's better in prison than out. He's not the one I'm worrying about—it's you—to think you could have done such a thing!"

"Bad or not, he has seventeen undeserved years in prison if I don't tell," she continued with this strange new composure which had come to her. "I have to face that."

"It's too late to face it now," he told her with finality.

"What would they do to me if I did tell?" she persisted.

"Perjury is merely a penitentiary offense," he informed her dully. "At the least, you'd have to go before the pardon board in Albany. There are two men in that: it's not in human nature they'll keep quiet. It would be all over the state—mean ruin for you—absolute social ostracism. It would kill your grandparents; I suppose I could stand it."

"You wouldn't have to," she told him, sudden fire in her calm. "You don't suppose I'd let our engagement continue—in the face of that?"

"You don't suppose I'd let you break it—in the face of that?" he returned. "Have every body saying I'd thrown you over when you next needed me? That would be the last straw!"

She did not try to argue the matter with him. They rode home in tense silence. Shirley glanced sorrowfully from time to time at the handsome profile, haggard against the crimsoning sky, with an ache in her heart for his suffering. But it was an impersonal sort of heartache—quite different from the one she had expected to feel. Everything was different, it seemed—she herself most amazingly so of all in a reeling universe. Despite its chaos, two astounding facts stood out with vivid clearness: she had never loved Elliot, and she must tell.

The moment she got home she packed carefully his ring and the costly trifles he had given her, and, with a good deal of effort, wrote him a few lines:

"You surely can't think I can let our engagement go on—after this afternoon. We cannot let what people might think affect us in so serious a matter as this. You need not feel no matter what comes to me—that the community will blame you in any way. I shall make clear to our friends how generous and chivalrous you tried to be."

"And please don't lose faith in other people, dear Elliot, because I have failed you. That would hurt me most of all. Some day you will find a girl who really is what you thought I was."

"With every good wish for your happiness,"

She sat a moment, holding the box which contained what had once symbolized all her hopes. Packed away in it were romance and girlish dreams, she realized with this startling new clearness of vision—but not love. She and Elliot had never loved each other; he had adored the perfect creature he thought she was—she had adored his adoration. This new Shirley, born of travail of the soul, he viewed with hostile eyes; this new Elliot, harsh and uncomprehending, she shrank from, repelled.

After she had written her letter she forced herself to go to bed. She needed all her strength for the next day.

She was up at dawn, dressing herself noiselessly in whatever came first at hand. She slipped a little note under grandfather's door, explaining she was making an early start for an all day motor trip—and stood a moment, eyes wet with tears, visioning the dear sleeping figure within. Grandfather was not like Elliot—he would understand. He would want her to do as she was doing, would stand by her shoulder to shoulder; but if she failed—if he must know—she had no fear he would not understand. Truth—that was the great thing to grandfather, as it was to Ted. He would think no price too great to pay for it.

"In Albany," Elliot had said. She did not know what a pardon board was, but she had no fear that that would find it and that it would be in session. With an irresistible force like this driving one on, failure could not lie ahead.

The gray roadster ate up greedily mile after mile that lay between her and reparation. She stopped for a few moments at Haverhill to swallow a cup of coffee and to telephone to Albany. Yes, they told her at the capitol, as she was sure they would—the pardon

board was meeting this Saturday. It would be open until five.

It was four when she flung herself out of her car at the capitol steps. She did not wait to go up to the hotel to make herself presentable; no thought this time of gown and hat for a to be charmed audience. She ran instead hastily up the wide steps, interrogated a uniformed official, and a few moments later found herself, her heart beating suffocatingly, in the anteroom of the pardon board.

"No hope of seeing any one today," the surly old fellow with the wooden leg, standing guard at her Eden, informed her. "Couldn't get in anyway without a special appointment."

But the famous Wayne charm, reinforced with a large tip, was irresistible. A few moments later the chairman of the board was reading a pencilled message Shirley had scribbled:

"Must see you this afternoon on a matter of deepest importance. It is to rectify a great wrong. SHIRLEY WAYNE."

Within half an hour she stood before a tribunal which suddenly cooled her ardor and froze the words on her eager tongue. It was not the stately room, hung with portraits of famous judges, nor the impressive half circle grouped about a mahogany table which daunted her. It was the fact that she found herself looking across that table straight into the steady eyes of Ted McAllister—the one man, next to grandfather, whom she most dreaded to have known the truth.

For a moment she wavered, feeling panic-stricken from that new goal of uncompromising truth she had set before her, searching a means of escape, even at this eleventh hour. But only for a moment. Then she had herself in hand again, and, shoulders squared, head high, plunged resolutely into the story she had gone over to herself a hundred times that day.

"I am Shirley Wayne—Colonel Roger Wayne's granddaughter. Four months ago in the courtroom at Springfield I testified falsely. It was during the trial of a burglar who had broken into our house. I said he fired his pistol while he and grandfather were struggling together and that grandfather knocked his hand up so that the shot went into the air. But that isn't so. What really happened is that he fired first into the air—to scare away grandfather—and then

grandfather grappled with him. I didn't realize what a difference that would make in law—I was trying to make as much of a hero as I could out of grandfather. He was eighty years old the day before, and I wanted to cheer him up. But of course that isn't any excuse. It wasn't the truth, and it has meant seventeen years more in the penitentiary for that burglar. That is the reason I have to tell you. He mustn't serve that—it isn't fair. If there is any way you can keep him from it—without letting my grandfather and grandmother know," for the first time her voice faltered, "I wish you would. It is going to be awfully hard on them. I don't care how you punish me, but if you would just keep it from them—they are very old."

She stopped. Suddenly the room had grown dark. She steadied herself desperately against the table. She would not faint—she would not. This one thing at least in her life she would see gallantly through. Slowly the room took shape again; the chairman was speaking in a grave, troubled voice, something about deliberating and calling her again. Then she was out once more in the anteroom. She had to rest a moment to get strength to go on, and outside there was a long, maddening wait for her car. All the little strength that was left in her had concentrated on a frenzied desire to escape going to Ted McAllister. But even that hope was denied her: she was evidently to drink the last drop in her cup of penance. Before she could start her engine he was running down the steps and had vaulted uninvited into the seat beside her.

"This is providential for me," he assured her casually, as if nothing at all had happened. "Do you mind running me home? My car got in a smashup yesterday, and it's in the shop. I was so afraid you would get off before I could break away. I had to fix that reporter there, and there is just one of those men—Madison—who has a streak of yellow in him and who might blab about this afternoon. I wanted to be sure he understood if he did he would settle with me. I think it is safe now; no one will ever know anything about it. I've got a bit of a pull with the governor, and I believe you will find he will pardon Cassidy at the end of the two years he ought anyway to serve. Don't worry any more about it, Shirley. No one—grandfather—grandmother—Elliot—is ever going to know anything about it—and you saved Cassidy."

"Elliot already knows," she said briefly. "I told him."

"You did, did you?" Ted commented in a curious voice.

Out of the vast weariness which was suddenly enveloping her, Shirley tried to find words to thank him for his thoughtfulness. All her resentment against him had mysteriously vanished. She might have known Ted would be kind. She remembered irreverently the look on his face the day his dog had died; he had sat up for two nights nursing it. With a sudden generous impulse she broke the silence which had fallen between them.

"You were right—absolutely right in what you told me that evening. I see it now. Do you remember what you said—if I'd come down off my pedestal I'd understand? Well, I'm off it," she flung out her hands in a small little gesture, "down in the dust. And I understand."

"Off it," he repeated in a queer, choked voice wholly unlike Ted's. "Off it! When you are up on it, so high—so high—a man has to go down on his knees to worship you. I swore I'd never tell you," he went on rapidly as she sat too dumbfounded for speech, "and I know, of course, it is no use; you're going to marry Elliot, and you hate me. But I want you, anyway to know. I love you, Shirley—have loved you all winter. I've fought it with everything that was in me, because—much as I wanted you—I despised you. I thought there wasn't anything to you, and I hated myself for losing my head over just your beauty. When I married I wanted a real woman—like my mother. That's why I was so bitter that night—I was so furious with myself for caring for you. But now—now—his voice shook, and Shirley's heart began pounding steadily in a way Elliot's most eloquent moments had never achieved. "The pluck of you—the magnificent courage! You're your grandfather's girl after all. Shirley—if you knew what it means to a man to be able to look up—high—to the woman he loves."

If any one had ever mentioned to Jim Cassidy that he had been instrumental in rescuing a soul from spiritual smugness as in bringing about one of those few matches which are planned in heaven, his remarks would undoubtedly be unprintable. Nevertheless, when any romance seeking acquaintance asks Ted and Shirley how they first met, they invariably reply, "It was a burglar who first really introduced us."

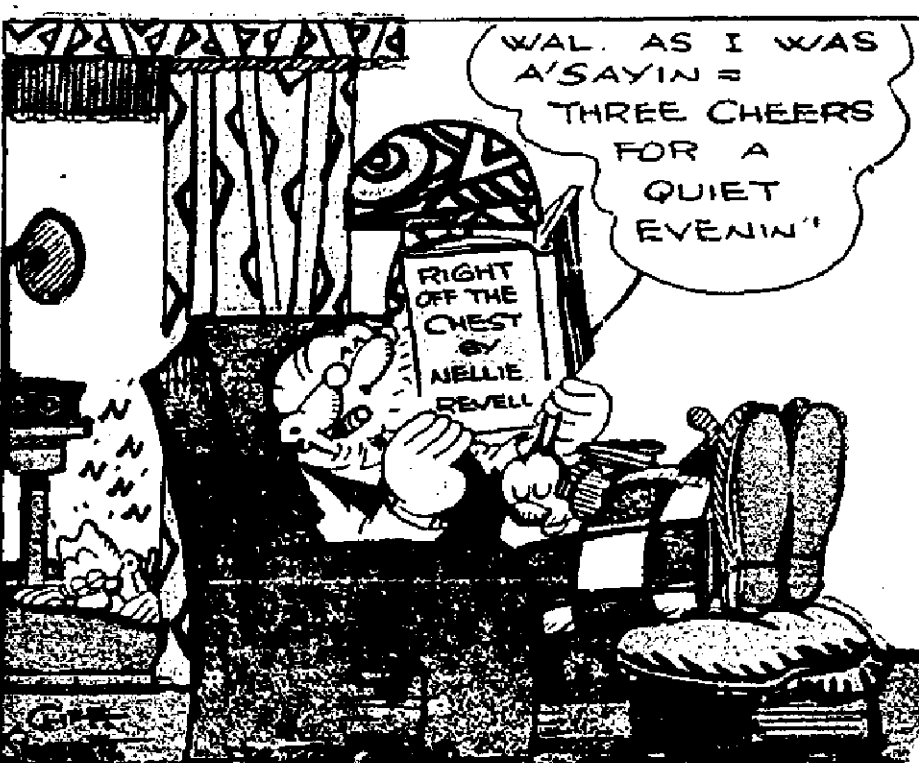
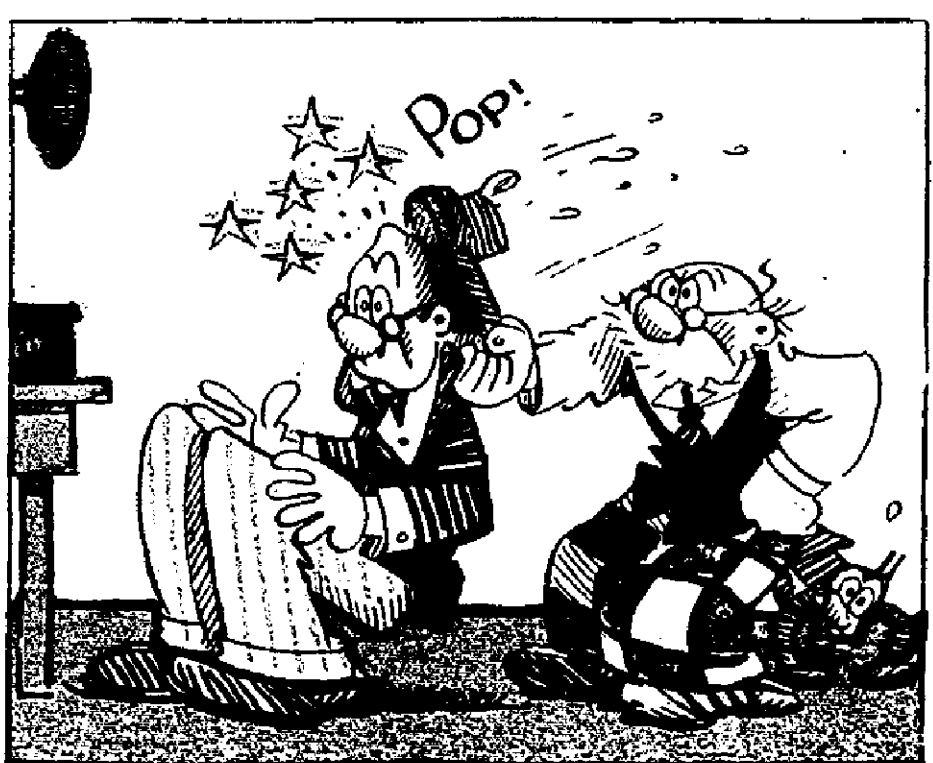
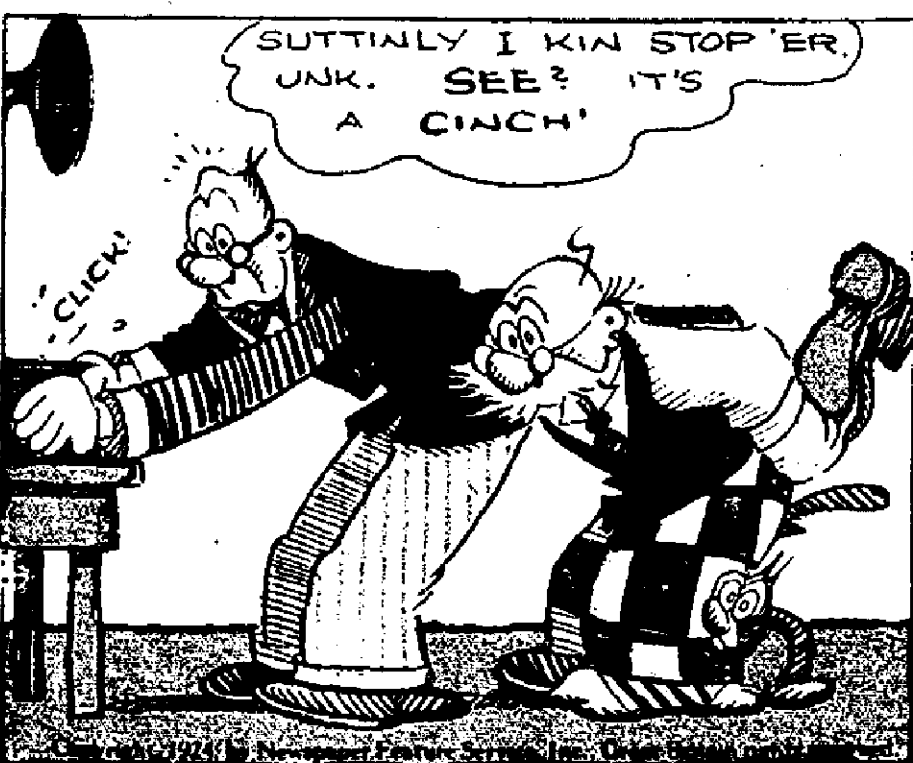
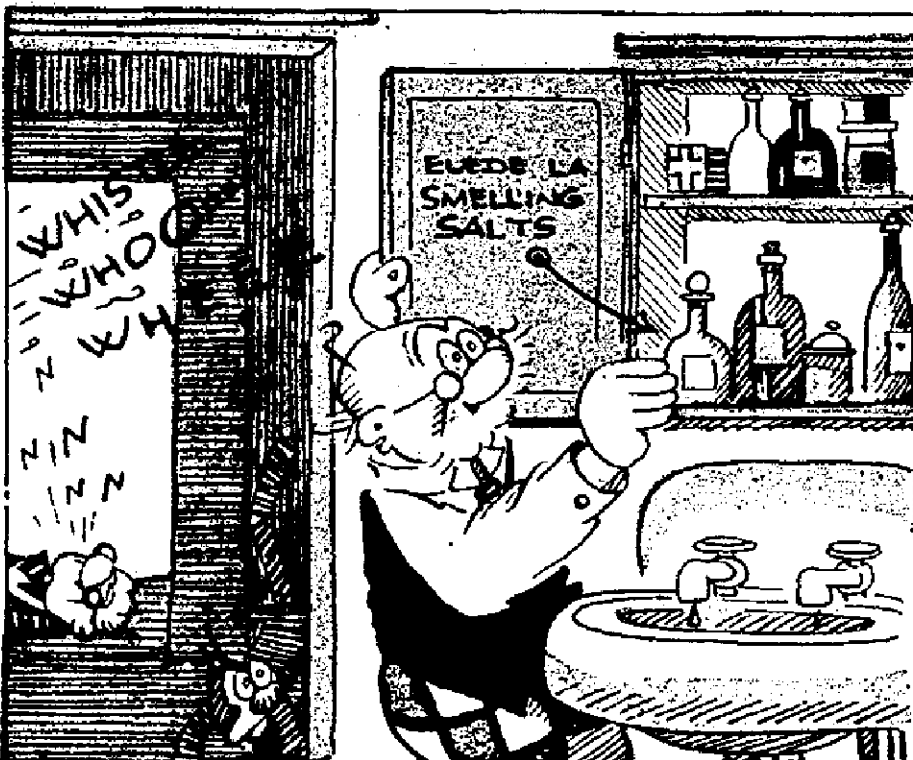
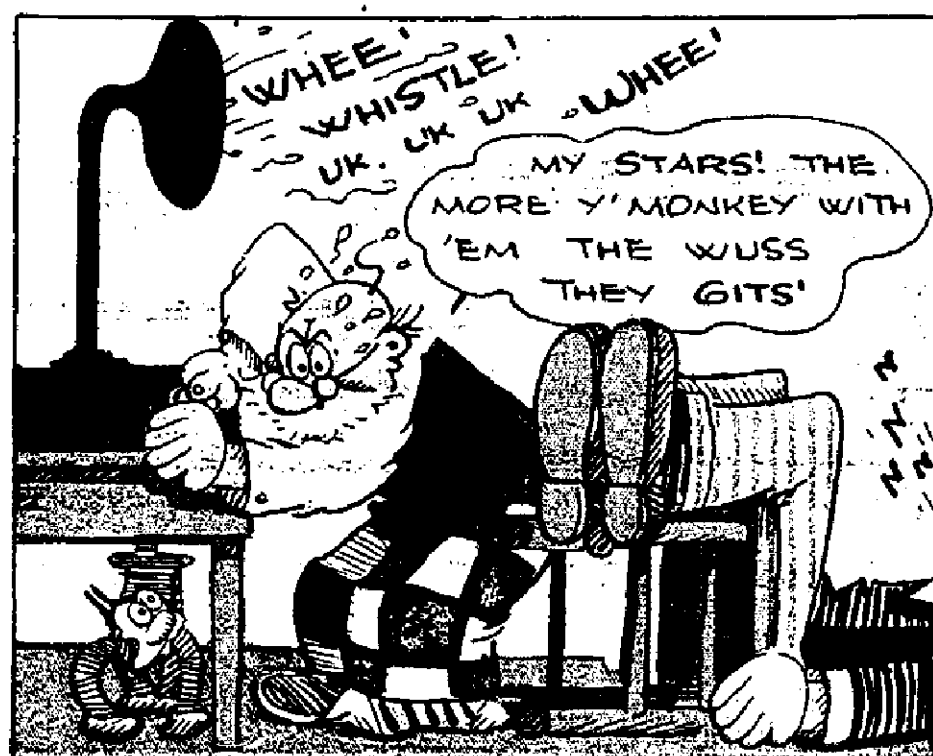
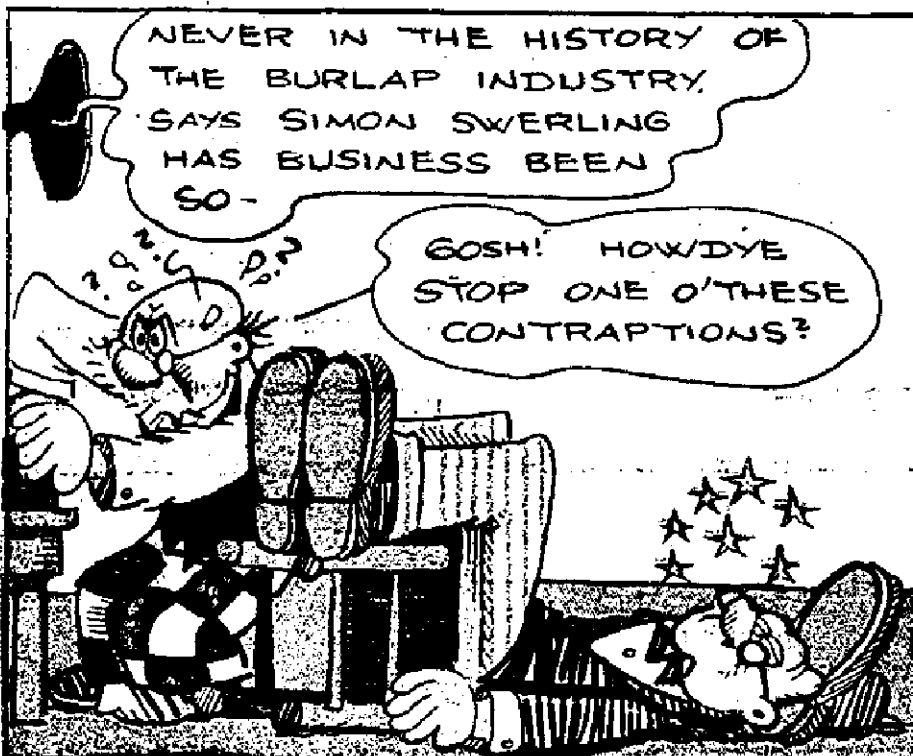
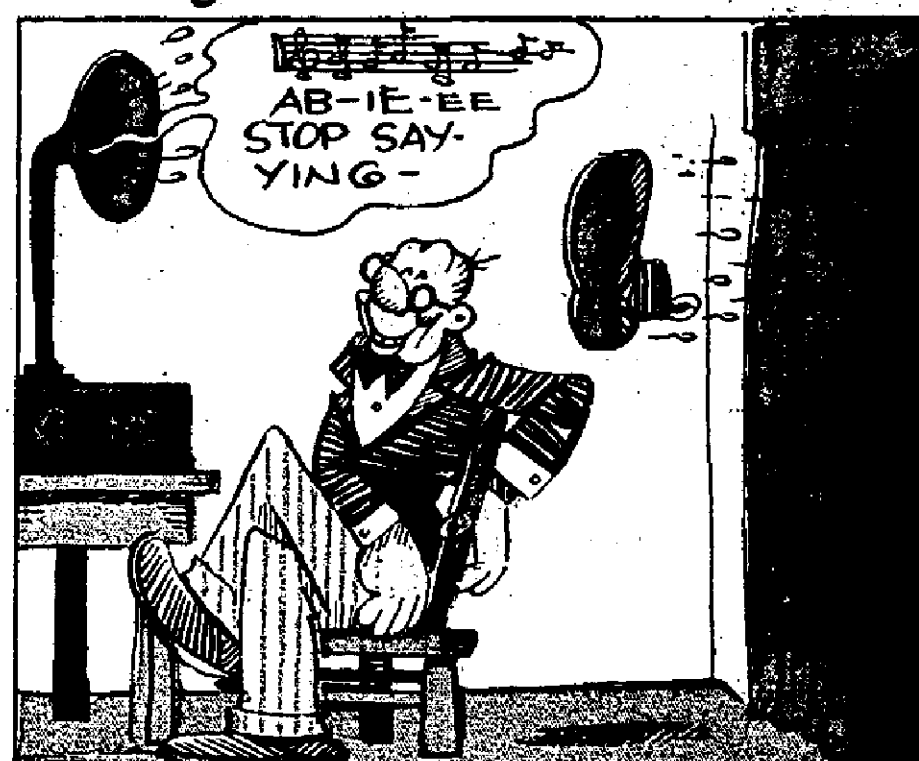
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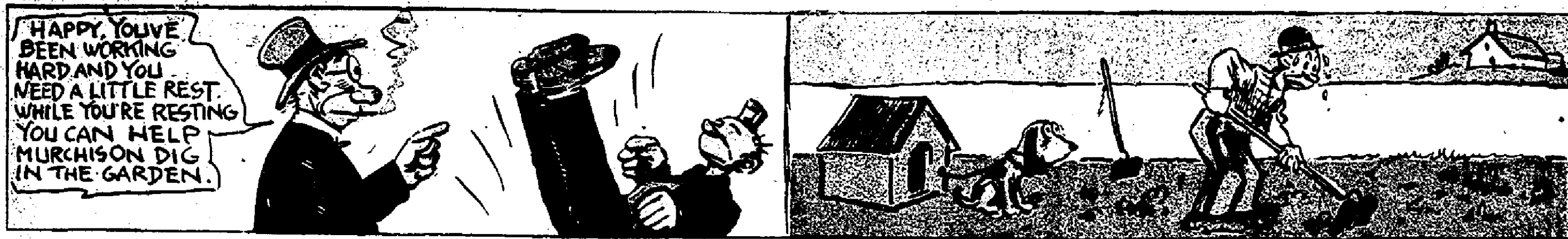


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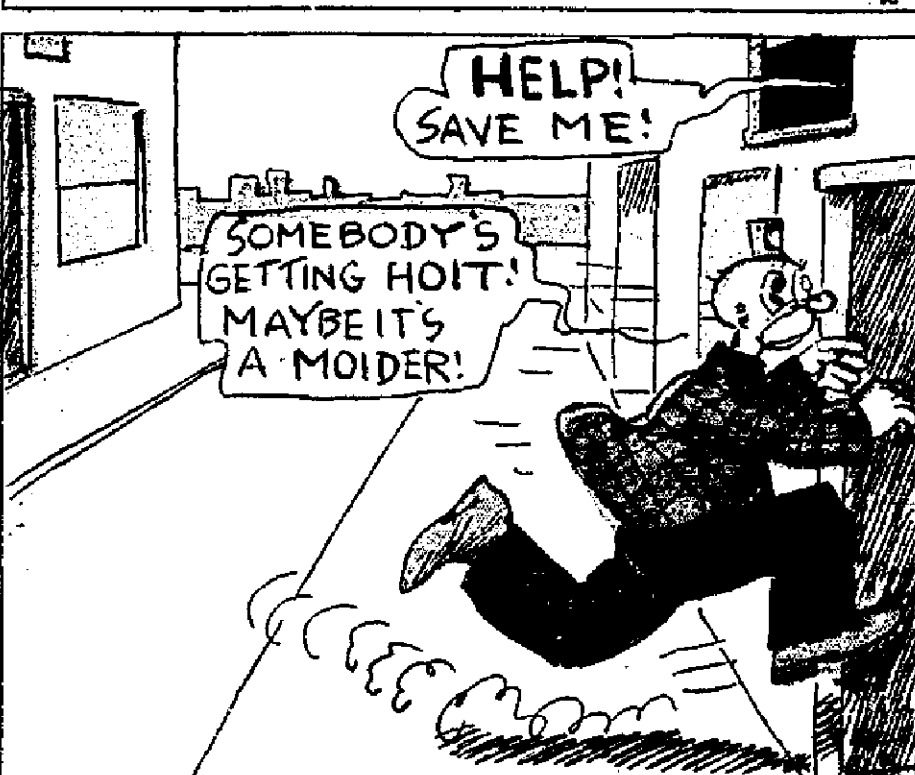
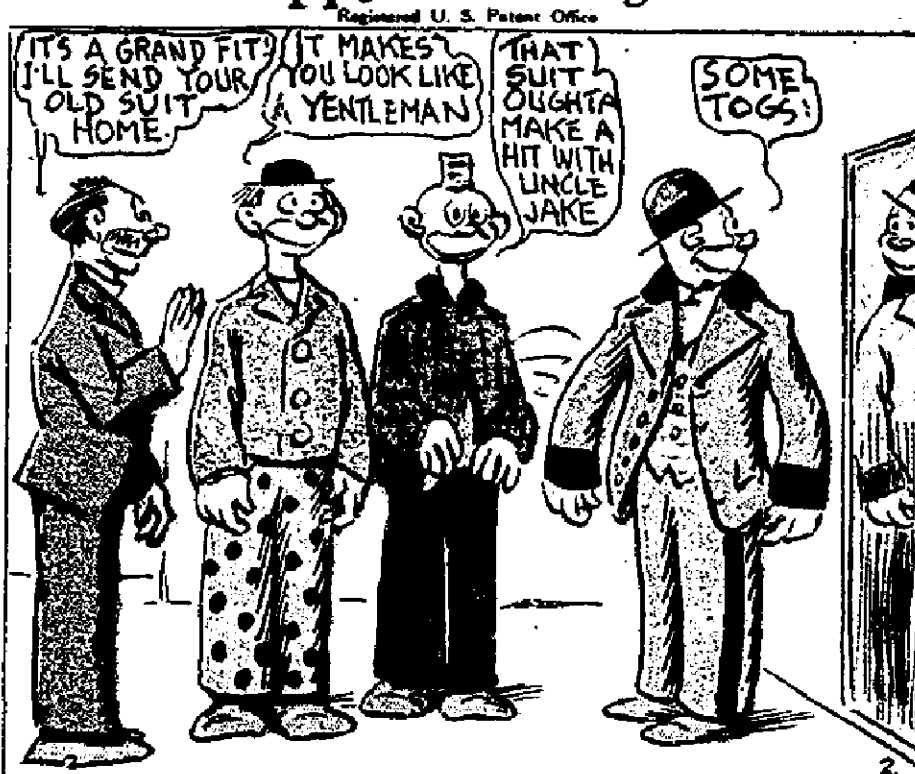
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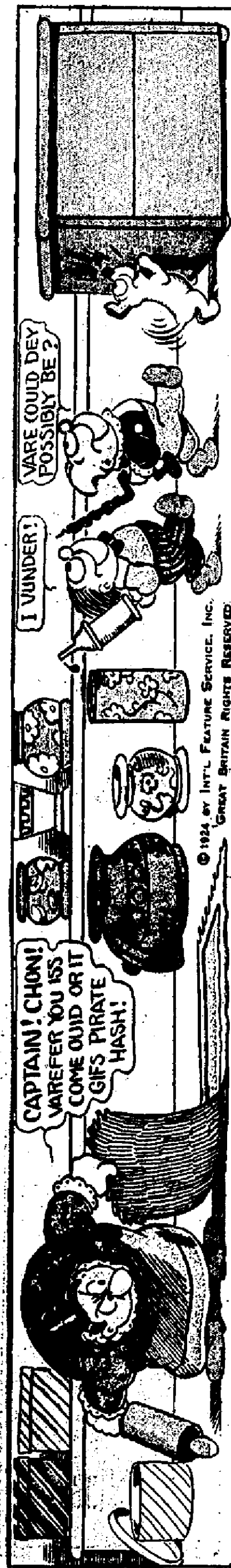


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